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HUNGER TO DECIDE

Short Rations Being Served in Some of the Striking Miner's Camps.

MANY MEN RETURN TO WORK.

Report That a Plan of Sharing Profits May Soon Be Proposed.

THE STRIKE MUST FIRST CLOSE

Operators Parting With Surplus Coal and Expect No Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG Pa., Aug. 11.—The Oak Hill miners, whose wages were withheld by the De Armitt Company yesterday because they had struck met at Newton, last night and after denouncing the company's action, formally declared the strike at Oak Hill on, and decided to remain out till the district prices of 69 cents per ton is paid.

Notwithstanding this action, there were more men at work in the mine this morning than on any day since the marchers appeared in the neighborhood. At least twenty men went into the pit at 5 o'clock who were not there yesterday or the day before.

The pooled parade at the camp of the strikers in Turtle Creek brought to the commissary provisions hardly enough for one meal. There are about 300 men, and two bands in the camp, and after their usual morning march on the Oak Hill mine, they were served short rations. Vice-President McKay, who is in charge of the camp, said that the latter would be replenished before noon.

At Plum Creek the full quota of 285 men went in before 7 o'clock and the De Armitt are jubilant. The striking marchers watched them go in, but they still say that they will be out in a few days. At Penny Creek there has been no change in the situation since Monday. The strikers continue their marches and about 250 men continue at work.

There is a report being discussed about the mines and on the street corners in Pittsburg that the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company has under consideration a plan that is entirely new as applied to coal mining, viz., sharing the profits annually with the miners. The plan will not be put in effect, however, until after the strike. Those claiming to have knowledge of the purposes of the company say the plan is copied after the system in force in Wanamaker's stores in Philadelphia and New York and in other large retail establishments in the East.

The division will be according to the earnings of the men. The man who has the most coal will get the largest share. It is proposed to retain in present form the present basing the diggers to work for 10 cents less a ton than the miners are paid in other mines in the district, so as to enable the company to compete with other mines in the market. This plan, it is claimed will enable the company to select their men from the best miners in the district and to encourage the banding of miners by the miners near that mines. There will be no change in the present system of workmen, the mine.

T. B. De Armitt, when seen regarding the proposed plan, said he would rather not talk about it at present, as it was not fully decided upon.

Several threatening letters have been received by President De Armitt recently, he says.

Coal is still plentiful here and prices are steady. There is a large quantity of coal in the river available for rail shipments, but much that was held for emergencies is now being sold, as it is regarded by the operators as almost certain that a break will be made by the miners at several places within the next ten days. The reason given for this view is that there is great destitution among the families in the villages surrounding the mines. The contributions from the public have been devoted largely to the feeding of the men at the camps, while the women and children in the isolated villages have been neglected.

Appeals to the officials come from the villages every day for aid for the families of men who are at the various camps. Operators think the strike will be continued at certain places as long as the contributions are so liberal. But the destitution which prevails in the villages is relied upon to induce the men to accept the offers which have been made by operators until such a rate will have been established. As high as 79 cents a ton, 10 cents more than is demanded, has been offered by some operators whose contracts specify coal of a certain grade, and which is only obtainable at fancy figures.

The meeting to be held at Irwin today is regarded as almost certain to result in the cessation of production at the mines of the Pennsylvania Gas Coal Company and Westmoreland Gas Coal Company, the Penn-Orr shaft and the small mines in that vicinity. There is talk among the leaders of a march to the mines of the Keystone Coal and Coke Company, largely owned by Congressman Geo. H. Huff of Greensburg, to get the diggers employed there out, as from the six mines operated by the company much coal coming to Pittsburg is produced. The output capacity is 6,000 tons a day and all its mines have been running full.

BOTH SIDES DECLARE THEY ARE WINNING FAST

Many Miners Go Back to Work and Are Angry at the Leaders' Recklessness.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 11.—A special from Wheeling, W. Va., says: Reports from the Kanawha valley are conflicting. The organizers claim that they have the best of it, and that the miners will all be out before Saturday. On the other hand, disinterested persons say that the Diamond, Winifrede, Big Mountain and Mount Carbon miners all went back to work this morning and in a bad humor with the organizers for making reckless promises to induce them to strike.

In this district there is no change today. Monongah, Glendale, Boggs Run and Elm Grove are out and the strikers are working on the few men employed in the Pedding banks.

At Fairmont great preparations are making for the Gompers meeting tonight, but there is no change in the situation. The Tunnelton miners were organized last night, 120 strong.

DRIVING SHEEP FROM OREGON TO KANSAS.

An Immense Band Being Taken Across Country to Save Fares.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 11.—J. A. Krollman, a livestock commission merchant of this city has brought in Oregon 80,000 sheep which are now being driven overland to Kansas, where they will be fed next winter and marketed the following winter and spring. This immense herd has been divided into twelve bands, each of which is driven by eight men.

The sheep are allowed to graze along the roadside each day. The drivers are furnished with horses and camping outfit, and while the sheep rest at night the shepherds sleep in tents. The bands are driven about twelve miles a part and Mr. Krollman expects to reach Kansas with the sheep by October.

By driving the sheep overland instead of shipping them by rail the commission merchant will save perhaps $60,00 as the transportation charges from Oregon to Kansas amounts to $1 a head.

DUTY MUST BE PAID ON CANADIAN IMPORTS.

Important Case Decided Today in Regard to a Fortune in Diamonds

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The Attorney-General in an opinion to the Secretary of the Treasury rendered today decisions that goods and productions of a foreign country not contiguous to the United States which are regularly imported into Canada and afterwards exported to the United States are subjected to the discrimination of ten per cent provided for in section two, title two of the new tariff act, and also that the method of conveyance whether by water mail or otherwise, is not material.

The question whether goods transported through Canada to the United States under consular seal are subject to duty has not yet been determined. The case in point was that of ninety thousand dollars worth of diamonds, which were detained at one of the frontier custom houses until this question was decided. The diamonds are subject to the 10 per cent duty.

WORKING HARD FOR WEST END IMPROVEMENT

Many Important Matters Are to Be Handled by the Club.

President John Bullock of the West Oakland Improvement Club has left for the interior on a vacation and Vice President George W. Drake occupied the chair at the meeting held by the organization last evening.

The wharf matter was brought up for consideration. Mr. Colburn's proposition to extend the same from the water front at the west end out in the bay to six feet low water mark, seems to meet with general approval. In the absence of President Bullock the chairthought it advisable to lay the matter over until the return of President Bullock when a committee will then be appointed to handle the proposition.

Regarding the extension of Chase street from Wood street to the bay, Councilman James Hennebery passed over to the Club the searcher's report, which shows that the property in question is owned by Ida H. Gorhill, Quincy A. Chase, the Northern Railway Company and Mary Stevens.

A committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Hollywood, Colburn and Stanley was appointed to draw up a map of the assessment district and report at a later date.

There was no report on the Seventh street redressing matter as only one of the committee was present and further time was granted that body.

The matter of opening several streets at the west end was talked over, but for the present nothing definite was decided on.

There is no desire on the part of the club to work a hardship on property owners and the matter was gone over very considerately.

Woman's Exchange.

The Directors of the Woman's Exchange will hold a special meeting next Wednesday at the Exchange rooms, 507 Twelfth street. A consignment of Spanish drawn work is expected at the Exchange soon.

Death of C. S. Frost.

Charles S. Frost, a native of Maine, aged sixty-eight years, died at his home, 1523 Eighth avenue yesterday. He had resided in Oakland for fifteen years.

MOTHER AND SONS BURNED TO DEATH.

Her Husband Ran Out and Could Not Get Back Into the Building

It Is Feared the Fearful Shock Will Rob Him of His Reason.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ARLINGTON, Or., Aug. 11.—The dwelling house of C. A. Shurte burned about midnight and Mrs. Shurte and her two sons perished.

They were overcome by smoke, and when taken out all were dead.

Shurte was awakened by fire in the sitting room, just below his bedroom, and ran down stairs immediately.

He found the flames spreading so rapidly as to cut off his return to the upper story. Heroic efforts were made to save his wife and children, but to no purpose.

Miss France, who was sleeping in the second story, jumped from a window and escaped.

There is great fear that Shurte will lose his reason. It is not known how the fire started.

WHEAT CONTINUES TO ASCEND IN PRICE

Heavy Import Inquiry and Good Traffic Reports Are the Reasons.

Today's Quotations of the Markets From All Commercial Centers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The opening of the stock market was strong, grangers and international stocks leading the advance, the latter in sympathy with improved prices in London. St. Paul, Burlington, Louisville and Northern Pacific rose 1 to 1 1-8. Western Union 1 1-4 and Manhattan 1½. The industrials were comparatively inactive but showed improvement. Gains of three quarters were frequent throughout the list. The stock market soon developed a more buoyant tone which extended to all classes of securities. The low priced stocks were in considerable demand and fluctuated widely.

Sugar bounded up a point on the announcement of an advance in refined grades of staple.

There was no cessation of the bull speculation during the forenoon and purchases were made with greater confidence than for some time. The sustained upward movement in wheat, coupled with the heavy import inquiry and the favorable traffic statements being rendered, invited aggressive action by the leading bulls. Various groups of stocks were taken in hand and improved substantially, the inactive Southwesterns looming up into prominence. Near mid-day there were some recession on profit taking.

The bond market continued strong on moderate dealings.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—There was a recovery of one eighth of a cent per ounce in the price of bar silver today as compared with yesterday's price, the quotation being 55½. Mexican dollars, 42½.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Close: Wheat, August, 82; September, 81½.

Corn, August, 27. September, 27½.

Oats, August, 16⅝; September, 17⅛@⅜.

Wheat cash No. 2 red, 82@85; No. 3 red, 78@82; No. 2 spring, 81@83. No. 3 spring, 76@80; No. 2 hard winter, 81@83; No. 3 hard winter, 79@81.

Corn, No 2, 26⅝@⅞. No. 3, 26.

Oats, No. 2, 17¼@1¼; No. 3, 15@19.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Noon: Money on call nominally 1@1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at $4.85 ¾@$4.86 for demand and at $4.84@¼ for sixty days: posted rates, $4.84¼@-$4.86½ and$4.86½@$4.87. commercial bills $4.83. Silver certificates 56@57. Bar silver, 55½. Mexican dollars, 4..¼.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—Wheat quiet; December, $1.19⅞ bid; May $1.50. Barley quiet; December, 94.

CRIMINAL CASES.

A Number of Them Brought to Judge Ogden's Attention Today.

Several criminal cases were brought up for arraignment in Judge Ogden's Court today.

The case of Thomas F. Agnew was continued at the request of the District Attorney for a week.

The same disposition was made of the case of libel against Gavin Dhu High.

The case of Charles Coly was dropped from the calendar to be restored if it be deemed advisable.

John Hanscom pleaded not guilty to criminal libel and his trial was set for October 5th. Hanscom is the editor of the Berkeley Gazette.

Mrs. Clara McLellan pleaded not guilty to the charge of burglary and her trial was set for September 1st.

F. C. Perce's case was continued till tomorrow.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The grouping together under one roof of the shop windows of Oakland, even though such a collection be termed an exposition, is not calculated to draw dollars from the residents of the other cities and towns of the county. This the Oakland Exposition management have discovered—at a cost of $1,-100.—Berkeley Advocate.

An Infant Dead.

Elizabeth, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dean, died at 838 Oak street yesterday.

HOMEOPATHS ASK FOR RECOGNITION.

Their Applications Vigorously Opposed by the Regular Physicians.

Many Prominent Names Are Signed to a Petition Asking for Affiliation.

The old war between the two schools of medicine has broken out afresh, and the homeopaths are now anxious to be affiliated with the University.

Dr. G. H. Martin of the Hahnemann Medical College presented his case to the Regents yesterday, and a wordy war followed. To show the progress of the homeopathic school, the following influential names were signed to the petition: Justice W. C. Van Fleet, Justice W. C. Garoutte, Judge E. A. Belcher, P. W. Ames, Philip Galpin, Barclay Henley, Louis Sloss, P. L. Lilienthal, Isaac Requa, Horace Davis and Irving M. Scott.

Dr. George H. Martin of the Hahnemann Medical College fraternity took the floor first. He first made a review of the rise of homeopathy, and commented on its rapid growth in this country, where at present three State Universities, namely those of Michigan, Minnesota and Iowa, had affiliated with the homeopaths, and two others now have the matter under consideration. In the United States there are 15,000 homeopathic practitioners, against about 100,000 allopathic. There are also nineteen homeopathic colleges, with about 2,000 students. With this representation of taxpayers, Dr. Martin thought the homeopaths were certainly entitled to affiliation with the State Universities.

The alumni of the University of California Medical College presented the following:

"We claim, as alumni of the medical department of the University of California, that we have, by payment of our fees and the pursuance of the curriculum, earned our diplomas with a jealous care, and strive by our personal conduct to preserve them untarnished. Should our alma mater be tainted with homeopathy, our standing as alumni will be lowered, our degrees will be debased and degraded and we can never again refer to the alma mater with reverence and respect. We call to your attention that with one unfortunate exception no reputable medical college of the United States has contracted such an alliance."

After hearing both sides, the matter was deferred to the next meeting, when a decisive vote will be taken.

DEATH OF A PETALUMA BANKER ILL HIS BATH.

R. H. Atwater Stricken With Apoplexy While at Skaggs' Springs

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANTA ROSA, Cal. Aug. 11.—The remains of R. H. Atwater, a prominent banker of Petaluma were taken through here this morning on their way to Petaluma. Atwater died suddenly at Skaggs Springs last evening. He was enjoying his usual health, and about 4 o'clock went into the bathroom. A few moments later his heavy breathing was heard by a person in the next room.

An attendant broke open the door and found Atwater on the floor in an unconscious condition. He was taken to a cottage near by and medical aid summoned, but died about 7 o'clock. Coroner Young held an inquest last night, the verdict of the jury being that Atwater's death was caused by apoplexy. He was 78 years old and for the past thirty years had been connected with the Wickersham Banking Company of Petaluma. He leaves one son, Frank Atwater, a Petaluma merchant.

A LADY'S ASSAILANT CAPTURED BY A MOB.

North Carolina's Governor Orders Out the Asheville Infantry.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 11.—A mob stormed the county jail last night to get Bob Brachette, the negro assailant of Miss Henderson. The negro had been spirited away by deputies. The mob battered down the door liberating other prisoners.

Another crowd set out in pursuit. They caught up with the officers and took the prisoner away from them. The Governor has ordered out the Asheville infantry.

A Baseball Slave.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BURLINGTON, Iowa, Aug. 11.—Pitcher Frank Kitson, of the Burlington Baseball Club, the star twirler of the Western Association has been sold to the Baltimore team. The price is understood to be $1,00. He leaves at once for Baltimore.

Lightning Strikes a Brewery.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 11.—A bolt of lightning this morning struck the brickwork of two immense batteries of boilers at the American brewery, and almost completely destroyed it. Dan Marse and Peter Maher, laborers, were badly injured.

Did you

cut out that large advertisement about the $1000 missing word contest and *Schilling's Best* tea?

You might as well have part of that $1000—the tea is at your grocer's.

Rules of contest published in large advertisement about the first and middle of each month. A26

NO ACTION TAKEN BY FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

The Resolution Removing Fair Not Yet Introduced by Clement.

Two Firemen Are Suspended for Breaking the Rules and Another in Danger.

There was a large lobby present at the meeting of the Police and Fire Commissioners this morning to see what would be done in the matter of a change of the head of the fire department.

It was expected that the change would be made today, as it was thought that Mayor Thomas and City Engineer Clement had at last agreed upon Chief Fair's successor, but the matter was not mentioned.

It was understood that the two commissioners who are in favor of deposing Fair had held a conference last evening and the lobby waited for the resolution which would politically kill the present chief.

Commissioner Clement has no hesitancy in saying that he is anxious to see a new fire chief installed and he would agree upon almost any one, but the Mayor, while he acknowledges that the change would be a good thing for the department, finds it difficult to decide upon Fair's successor.

What suits one seems not to suit the other and so Fair's tenure of office is lengthened.

Every time there was a lull in the meeting this morning it was expected that Mr. Clement would introduce the long-looked for resolution, but the lobby was disappointed.

It is said that Chief Fair will soon file charges against a member of the department, who, he claims, is responsible for the fact that the letter recently written by W. Reichhold to the chief requesting that he call at Reichhold's saloon and settle for damages done to the saloon bar, became public.

The letter alleges that the chief damaged the bar by hitting it with a nickel-in-the-slot machine, and that the chief left the saloon owing 40 cents for drinks.

A number of other matters were considered by the commissioners.

James Lamb, who owns the house rented for chemical engine No. 3, was requested to have the house painted.

Chief Fair of the fire department reported that he had suspended Wm. Hurl, extraman of truck No. 1, for not reporting on duty for seven fires in July, and that he had put on William Backus to fill the vacancy. The report was referred to the committee of the whole.

The chief also reported that he had suspended Virgil Dimmick of hose No. 1 for not obeying orders. The report was filed.

The communication of ex-City Attorney J. A. Johnson protesting against the fire bell in East Oakland was referred to the committee of the whole.

The secretary was directed to advertise a sale of the condemned horses, "Fred," "Mike and "Bill," for August 26th.

The meeting then adjourned.

LEGALITY OF ACTIONS.

A Question Whether Judge Allen's Court Has a Legal Existence.

In case of a conviction, Attorney M. C. Chapman will appeal the case of John Geary, arrested for violating the plumbing regulations, on the ground that the Police Court has no legal existence, basing his argument on the recent Supreme Court decision regarding the Stockton police court.

In the latter case the court held that the Stockton police court was not a valid one because it was organized under an act which applied to cities of a special class not provided for under the general law classifying cities. Attorney Chapman maintained that the Whitney act, under which the Oakland police court is organized, also applied to a class of cities not provided for in the general law.

The only change that could result from the Supreme Court deciding against the Oakland court would be the doing away with the clerk and the prosecuting attorney.

WOMEN GAIN A POINT AT THE ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Physicians' and Surgeons' Class No Longer Refuses to Receive Them

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—The College of Physicians and Surgeons is to throw open its doors for the admission of women. This has been decided upon by the trustees of the University of Illinois after a bitter fight over the innovation on the part of the authorities of the medical school. It was made a department of the State University in April. Before it came under the jurisdiction of the University Trustees the College of Physicians and Surgeons had barred all women students.

WILL MEET TO TRY AND KILL EACH OTHER.

Prince Henry of Orleans to Meet an Italian Officer for a Duel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 11.—Prince Henry of Orleans has arrived here on his return from Abyssinia. His seconds, M. Leontiff, a Russian officer, and M. Raoul Mourichol, a traveling companion, will meet in Paris the seconds of General Albertone, the Italian officer who has challenged the Prince to fight a duel on account of the latter's aspersions upon the conduct of the Italian soldiers in Abyssinia.

Where Umpires Are Not Heroes.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 11.—Umpire Tim Hurst who threw a beer glass at the spectators during a game here last week and severely injured Fireman Carlyves was fined $100 and costs in the Police Court today.

Died at the Hospital.

Lawrence Peterson, aged twenty-seven years, died at the County Infirmary yesterday.

SECRETARY WILSON ON A SUCCESSFUL TOUR.

Studying Sugar Beet Growing and the Horse Breeding Industry.

Some Interesting Experiments to Try and Grow Grass on the Plains.

DENVER, Aug. 11.—James Wilson, Secretary of the Agricultural Department has arrived here on the tour he is making for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the conditions and necessities of the West. The cultivation of the sugar beet and the breeding of cavalry horses are the two most important matters which he will investigate.

"It is the intention of the Department of Agriculture in the matter of seed distribution," said the Secretary, "to procure seeds of rare varieties of useful plants and such as are difficult to obtain and distribute them in such parts of the country as are suitable for their growth, and are of the same soil and climatic characteristics as the countries in which these plants are indigenous. In pursuit of this idea the Department now has an agent in Siberia investigating the grasses of the elevated plateaus of that region, who will secure seeds of these plants if possible and experiment with them in the arid and semi-arid regions of the West with the view of the selection of such as may prove to be advantageous for feed for the stock of our great plains."

Secretary Wilson will visit Wyoming, Utah, Idaho and Montana.

DE ARMITT IS SUED FOR DAMAGES.

The Mine Workers' President Demands Money for False Imprisonment.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 11. — National Vice-President Miller of the United Mine Workers Association entered suit today for $50,000 damages against T. B. De Armitt, superintendent of the Turtle Creek mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company for alleged malicious prosecution. In addition to serving injunctions on Miller, Mr. De Armitt had him arrested on charges of riot and unlawful assemblage which were not substantiated.

TIN PLATE NOW SHIPPED TO EUROPE.

Another New Industry Is Opened, Resulting From the Tariff

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 11.—The first tin plate manufactured in America to be sent to Europe is, according to local manufacturers, that started today by the American Plate Company of Elwood, on its way to Italy.

It was a carload consisting of 500 boxes of the most expensive tin plate made here. The company will tomorrow make similar shipment to England.

Want a Receiver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

INDIANAUOLIS, Aug. 11.—Stockholders in the Irondale Steel and Iron Company of Middletown, Ind., filed suit for a receiver in the Federal Court today. They allege that the affairs of the company are involved and that some $200,000 of assets are likely to be dissipated unless the steps prayed for are taken.

More Miners Go to Work.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BESSEMER, Mich., Aug. 11.—The Blotherton mine at Wakefield resumed operations today and will employ 200 men.

The Sunday Lake mine which works in conjunction with the Brotherton will probably resume in a few days with about the same force of men.

The President's Trip.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Notwithstanding the rainy forenoon the whole Presidential party left for Lake Placid by special train about 9 o'clock. They are expected to return about 6 o'clock this evening.

Vice-President and Mrs. Hobart, Whitelaw Reid and others are in the party.

For Mayor of New York.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Convinced that those who have been urging him to accept the candidacy for Mayor represent a majority of the Republican vote of Greater New York, Seth Low has entered the race and will assist in the canvass that is being made for him.

A New Yacht.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The rumor is revived that George L. Watson is designing a new yacht to replace the Prince of Wales' cutter Britannia.

Big Paper Mills Burned.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MANCHESTER, Conn., Aug. 11.—The Peter Adams Paper Mill in Buckland was burned this morning. Loss $35,000.

IT'S FUNNY—people filter water, and yet drink cheap milk freely; that is, some people do; our customers don't.

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A FISTIC SEANCE

Populists Hammer Each Other With Chairs During a Debate.

POLICE QUELLED THE RIOT.

All Due to Witt's Desire to Talk Beyond His Time Limit.

GHOST OF SENATOR HANNA.

Thought to Be Hovering Over the Populist State Convention in Ohio.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 11.—The Populist State Convention opened today with Mr. Witt of Cleveland demanding more than five minutes to speak in charge to the effect that certain Middle-of-the-Road delegates were there in the interest of Senator Hanna to keep the convention from endorsing the St. Louis Democratic ticket. The chair refused Mr. Witt more time.

Delegates told him to sit down and finally Marsh Krumm of Columbus, undertook to put him down. Mr. Witt resisted Mr. Krumm. George Riddle of Columbus seized a chair. Delegates took the chair from Riddle and pandemonium reigned.

Mr. Ecker and Mr. Krumm clinched and were fighting when Policeman Dan McMahanny separated them. Chairs were broken up in the fight. When quiet was partly restored Mr. Witt still demanded more time.

Further trouble being apparent, Mr. McMahanny telephoned headquarters and a squad of police appeared to preserve order. All the anti-fusion delegates were seated and it is probable a Populist ticket will be named.

A CHICAGO ALDERMAN TALKS OF BRIBERY.

He Will Not Tell the Name of the Briber and Is Heavily Fined.

Says He Was Offered Money to Vote for a Street Railroad Franchise.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Alderman Wm. Mangler was sentenced today by Judge Dunn to pay a fine of $1.000 and serve ninety days in the county jail for contempt of court.

Alderman Mangler a few weeks ago publicly stated that he had been approached by a prominent business man with an offer of $2,000 to vote for the General Electric Street Railway franchise ordinance. On being summoned by the grand jury to testify to the name of the alleged business man, Alderman Mangler refused, claiming that in telling his story he would incriminate himself. This led to the contempt proceedings.

The court sustained a motion of Mangler's attorney for an appeal and ruled that the Alderman could be released on bond. Bail was at once furnished in the sum of $5,000.

Some Federal Appointments.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The President has designated Frank A. Vanderlip Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, to perform the duties of Register and Assistant Register of the Treasury during the absence of the Register and Assistant Register. The following appointments have been made:

Felix A. Reeve of Tennessee, Assistant Solicitor of the Treasury.

Benj. M. Chiswell, Bernard H. Camden, Harry G. Hamlet and Frederick C. Billard, Second Lieutenants in the revenue cutter service.

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG.

This subject interests young and old. To retain youth, no continued worry upon the mind. For instance in moving merchandise, nothing is more agent than the continual worry that the express company will not be on time. To be free from this worry, call telephone No. 12, Whitney Transfer Company and they will give you prompt service.

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Examination free. Spectacles and eyeglasses, all grades and qualities. Oculists' prescriptions filled at lowest rates. Spectacles repaired. The Invisible Common Sense Ear Drums.

THE BROWN CASE WILL BE RE-OPENED.

A Review of the Past Scandal by the Bay Conference of Churches.

It was a gathering of stern-faced men who met in the First Congregational Church this afternoon and considered the appeal of Dr. C. O. Brown, the outcasted minister of the Congregational Church. Brown's request asking for a new council to deliberate upon his case had brought together this present assemblage.

Brown had taken the bull by the horns in making the request as there was a feeling abroad that the Bay Conference would restore the case out of its own accord.

The Bay Conference has never felt satisfied with the action of the Dubuque Conference or the Chicago association in recognizing Brown as a member. The Bay Conference still claimed him as belonging to their body and declared that he could not join any other association except by the usual way. He was in bad standing in the Bay Conference, therefore he was not able to enter another association.

Brown himself probably felt that his standing at the Chicago association was not altogether secure and he wordedat a request half threatening, to have his case reconsidered, claiming that while the verdict of the Conference had fully cleared him, the wording of its verdict was ambiguous. He asks that the Bay Conference do this one question. Was the Bay Conference justified in suspending the Rev. C. O. Brown, D. D., without a trial and after a council had decided the charges against him were not sustained?"

This question was the stumbling block, as the members of the Bay Conference did not feel that Brown had cleared his character of the insinuation cast upon its morality by the Overman episode, the Mrs. Stockton French dinner proposition, etc.

Brown further asks that eleven churches take part in the council, he to name five, the Bay Conference five, and the eleventh to be selected by a committee of two men, one of whom is to be the Rev. J. T. Blanchard of Chicago, a relative and close friend of Dr. Brown.

Prior to the meeting of the Conference the committee in charge of the Brown matter held a meeting to formulate its report. The report consists of the Rev. J. A. Cruzan of the North Berkeley Congregational Church, the Rev. W. W. Scudder of the First Congregational Church, Alameda, Professor George Adam of the Pacific Theological Seminary and S. W. Congdon.

THE MEETING.

The exercises were opened by the calling of the gathering to order by Rev. Dr. I. K. McLean of the Pacific Theological Seminary.

There were present about fifty ladies but not quite so many clergymen.

Rev. Dr. McLean then read a few verses from the Bible and after that the hymn "To Thee Which We Adore" was rendered.

This was followed by a hymn after which prayer was offered by Rev. D. Wiley of San Francisco.

The roll call of the churches of the Brown matter then followed the prayer.

Dr. McLean suggested that the roll be called and the names of the delegates from the various churches be handed to the clerk.

The suggestion was adopted and the delegates present were known as follows.

San Rafael Pastor, W. H. Atkinson; delegates, Mrs. S. Clifford, Mrs. W. H. Atkinson.

Olivet Church, San Francisco—Pastor, A. T. Shepard; delegates, Mrs. Isabella Barto, Mrs. [illegible] Osborn.

Third Church, San Francisco—Pastor absent; delegates, Rev. J. S. McKee, J. S. Hutchinson.

Plymouth Church, San Francisco—D. M. Cove.

Richmond Church, Pastor, P. Combs; delegates, H. N. Turner, Mrs. James Nicol.

Desoto—Pastor, Cas. Mrs. John W. Hayes.

Cooper Church, San Francisco—R. A. Turtle, Mrs. R. A. Turtle.

Pathway—Mrs. A. A. Chamberlain, Wm. Carr Johnston.

Sausalito—Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Smith.

Plymouth Avenue—Rev. A. O. Stevens, Mrs. W. A. Tenney, Miss Merrill.

Fourth Congregational, Oakland—Rev. O. W. Lucas, C. E. Irving.

Second Congregational, Oakland—Rev. J. W. Phillips, Miss Walcott, Miss Williams.

Mission San Jose—Rev. Henry Perks.

Bethlehem—Rev. W. J. Tubi, Miss Laura E. Knipe, Mrs. Penelope V. Tubi.

First Congregational, Alameda—J. H. Gender, J. H. Agar.

Scattering—Rev. F. W. Foster, C. S. Nash, Loyal L. Witt.

The Pastor of Oakland that the meeting was held at Mill Valley because of time and sentiment connected with the place.

The committee on invitation then reported that it had failed owing to the fact that it had not been able to obtain the addresses of the churches and the names of the pastors.

Rev. Mr. Stout of Stockton said the church he represented had done all it could and was ready to do anything.

Mrs. Chard of San Rafael reported for the same church.

Mrs. Peabody of Grace Church, San Francisco, reported that they had no debts, a good Sunday school and the church was active in Christian work.

Rev. [illegible] of Plymouth Church said that all they wanted was light and truth. [illegible] and they would be glad to [illegible].

Captain Pond of Richmond Church said they would be glad to [illegible].

Park Church reported that the attendance had so increased that they were obliged to move from the basement into the auditorium. Membership was increasing.

Olivet Church reported that there was gradual increase in the Sunday School work.

Mrs. Chamberlain of Bethany Church reported that they were increasing in all departments of work and that the Christian Endeavor work was especially well in hand.

The Fourth Church said that the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor had become thoroughly united and were doing excellent service.

The Third Church of San Francisco said the church was doing very well.

Plymouth Church, San Francisco, financially was in good condition.

Rev. Dr. Wiley of the First Church, San Francisco, Dr. Brown's church, said that everything that could be said of it was encouraging. He thought the present pastor was a model man, and he could speak of the thorough and able manner of the work which the pastor was doing.

Pilgrim Congregational Church of Oakland reported a good healthy, physical growth in the society.

Fourth Church, Oakland, reported that they prayed that God would send a good pastor to those [illegible] who had left them through death.

Plymouth Avenue Church reported that they had been blessed in a pastor who had just entered on his work.

Mr. Williams of the First Church, Oakland, spoke, that property of the latter would tend to the benefit of the community and the honor of the Lord.

A collection was then taken up and a number of silvery sounds came from the lips who have crossed or mid.

A number of the brethren present from outside districts were invited to sit as corresponding members.

THE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The Moderator, Dr. McLean, then called for the report of the special committee on the Dubuque Association, and the report was read as follows:

"On October 20 1896, the Bay Conference passed a series of resolutions respecting the action of the Dubuque Association in attempting to receive the Rev. C. O. Brown into membership and calling upon that body to take such action in the matter as will conserve the interests of denominational fellowship. A committee of two was then appointed to take charge of the matter and given power to proceed, if to the choice of meeting a council with the Dubuque Association or, that failing, to call an ex parte council before which to present the case of the conference.

"It was understood at the time that this committee was given powers of the utmost breadth within the limits of the resolutions and the evident intent of the conferences, the desire being that the vexed matter with which the committee was appointed to deal shall intrude as infrequently as possible upon the notice of the conference as a whole. The committee so understood its charter, and acted accordingly.

"The committee now submits the following report and is ready to submit also certain recommendations of action to be taken at the present times if the conference desires to consider such recommendations:

"Conveniently after its appointment your committee met and in accordance with its instructions, transmitted to the Dubuque association the resolutions and request of the Bay Conference in a letter.

"Having sent this communication, your committee awaited a reply. No reply came. Not even an acknowledgment of the receipt of the communication was vouchsafed. But your committee felt assured that in due time fitting notice would be taken of a document set once so formal and so fraternal as that transmitted to the Dubuque association, and therefore awaited the issue with appropriate patience.

"It was with something more than surprise, therefore, that your committee received news indirect but authentic that Dubuque Association at its next meeting following the sending of the communication from Bay Conference not only gave that communication no proper attention, but proceeded still further in the cause of antagonism toward Bay Conference by attempting to dismiss the Rev. C. O. Brown from its membership and to transfer him with what it alleged to be proper credentials to Chicago Association.

"This news reached your committee on the afternoon immediately preceding the day appointed for the meeting of Chicago Association.

"Interpreting the will of the Bay Conference according to the resolutions that had passed the conference your committee telegraphed to the Rev. Willard Scott of Chicago and also to the Moderator of the Chicago Association protesting against the reception of the Rev. C. O. Brown, and asking an opportunity to be heard in support of the protest.

"The Chicago Association listened to this protest so far as to defer for a time consolidation of the matter of receiving the Rev. C. O. Brown, appointing a committee which in the meantime should listen to the statement of the Bay Conference and report at a special meeting. Your committee of two thereupon drew up with much labor and care a statement of the position held by the Bay Conference and transmitted the same to the Committee of the Chicago Association.

"Your committee took this action believing itself to be proceeding within the spirit of the charter and to be fulfilling the will of the Conference as well as discharging its own duty, in so doing.

OBLIGED TO ACT.

"It was appointed specially to deal with the matter in its Dubuque stage but as it was the same matter changed only in respect to place and not at all in respect to principle, your committee felt not only empowered but obliged to act.

"A communication setting forth these facts was sent to the Chicago Association.

"Appended to the document as supplementary explaining and buttressing its position, your committee sent to Chicago a lengthy and carefully drawn document passing in review of the case of the Rev. C. O. Brown from its inception to the date then instant.

"This presentation of the case of the Bay Conference so far influenced the committee of the Chicago Association that that committee decided to ask with the Bay Conference would unite with the Rev. C. O. Brown in a mutual counsel before which the matter in controversy might be presented, and by which it might be adjudicated. The Rev. J. F. Blanchard was empowered to send such a telegram. The telegram as received by the Registrar of this conference read as follows:

"'Will Bay Conference unite with Brown in a council in Chicago to consider only ecclesiastical propriety of suspension on council' findings without considering question of guilt or innocence? Answer yes or no, immediately. J. F. BLANCHARD.'

"To this telegram such members of your conference as could be consulted on short notice felt it impossible to answer yes or no, for the reason that the question of guilt or innocence is necessarily and inextricably involved in the other question proposed for consideration. Accordingly reply was made, 'Bay Conference always will join Brown in council on whole question of alleged injustice. See communication to your committee.'

"The reply was thus phrased because the position of the Bay Conference had been fully and clearly defined in the communication referred to and because it seemed manifest to your committee that the only way in which a satisfactory result could be reached was by including and not excluding whatever is germane to the matter in controversy between the Rev. C. O Brown and the conference.

"Other telegrams to the same purport were exchanged, but your committee failed to reach a mutual understanding.

"At the adjourned meeting of the Chicago association two members of this committee recommended that the association receive the Rev. C. O. Brown upon the papers from the Dubuque association while the two remaining members recommended that action be deferred and that the Rev. C. O. Brown be recommended to call a mutual council with the Bay Conference to consider the ecclesiastical propriety of trial conference suspending him in view of the findings of the San Francisco Council.

"The former recommendation carried, whereupon your committee addressed to the Chicago Association, through its Registrar a communication. In addition to the action thus rehearsed, your committee also addressed to the Rev. Henry A. Hazen, editor of the Congregational Year Book, a communication.

"This report covers the work of your committee to the present time, save this, that a letter having been received from the Rev. C. O. Brown addressed to the conference, your committee has considered the contents of this letter and is prepared with a recommendation of action to be taken by the conference if the conference desires to listen to such recommendation. Respectfully submitted,

"J. A. CRUZAN,
"GEO. MOGAR,
"G. E. HATCH,
"S. W. CONGDON."

The report of the committee was received.

Rev. C. R. Brown of the First Church of this city moved that the conference adopt the report of the committee and approve its action.

The report was unanimously adopted.

The registrar then read a communication from Rev. C. O. Brown. This was dated Chicago several days ago, and published in the San Francisco papers, but the registrar stated that it was through no leakage on his part. He did not know how the document had found its way into print. He had been approached by a number of newspaper men who had asked for the letter, but he had refused to deliver it to any of them.

Rev. Dr. E. S. Chapman wanted to know whether the registrar could say that the letter had not found its way into the papers from the copy of the document which he held.

The registrar said that he knew as well as he could know anything that the letter was not published from the copy which he held.

The communication was received without opposition.

The Moderator announced that the committee had recommendations to make, and the conference decided to hear them and they were read.

The first recommendation was that the request of Dr. C. O. Brown for a mutual council be acceded to, and that the Bay Conference unite with him in a mutual council.

It was decided to consider the recommendations seriatim.

The question of expense was brought up.

Dr. Cruzan said that the matter of expense had been brought up in the committee, but that it was decided that it would be best not to bring the matter up in this conference.

The recommendation was adopted without opposition.

DEEP SORROW FELT IN HAVANA.

Buildings Draped in Mourning and Stores Are Closed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Aug. 10.—The official announcement of the assassination of Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish Premier, was published today in the Official Gazette and the other local newspapers. As a mark of respect for the deceased Statesman the stores are closed and the Stock Exchange and Produce Exchange have suspended business. The leading thoroughfares are being hung with black drapery.

The news of the Premier's murder was a great shock and a surprise to all classes and expressions of sorrow are everywhere to be heard. The dying exclamation of Canovas, "Long Live Spain" is the subject of considerable comment in the newspapers. They all print editorials expressing great sorrow at the death of the Spanish Minister and the great loss sustained by the Spanish nation and dwell upon the private virtues of the deceased statesman while regretting his disappearance in these critical times.

The future is referred to almost with apprehension, although the people are asked to trust in the patriotism of the Spanish statesman and in the loyalty of the Spaniards in both hemispheres in order to prevent further trouble for Spain.

The appearance of the afternoon editions of the papers of Havana with the details of the assassination was most eagerly awaited.

A SEPTEMBER FAIR.

The Ladies of St. Paul Arranging an Elaborate Autumn Fete.

The ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal Church held a mass meeting yesterday in the church in order to outline necessary arrangements for an outdoor and indoor fair. It was decided to hold the affair September 16th at the residence of Mrs. George W. Baker, corner Thirteenth and Madison streets.

The beautiful grounds will be illuminated with electric lights. There will be booths and other attractions. An excellent indoor programme will also be presented.

The affair promises to be quite an event in social circles.

The fair is to be held under the auspices of the Committee on Parish Work, the officers of which are: President, Mrs. L. L. Bromwell; secretary, Mrs. Frank Brown; treasurer Mrs. H. C. Taft.

POLITICS DELAYS THE CONVENTION.

Affairs in Peru Are in a Very Much Mixed Condition.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LIMA, Peru, via Galveston, Texas, Aug. 10.—For political motives the opening of the Peruvian Congress, which was fixed for tomorrow, has been postponed until Thursday.

Telegraphic advices received here announce the death by drowning of the celebrated Amazonian explorer Fiscarrald.

It is reported that the government in a few days will decree the payment of custom duties on gold.

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THE SLAYER OF BOOGAR MUST BE TRIED

Judge Ogden Takes a Decided Stand In the Matter.

ANOTHER CONTINUANCE ASKED

It Is Refused and Attorney Knight Is Let Out.

Judge Ogden yesterday acted in a summary manner in the case of Michael Collins charged with the murder of Philip Boogar. He refused to continue the case at the request of George A. Knight, the attorney of San Francisco, the defendant and Mrs. Boogar.

The matter came up by Colonel Garrity who said that he had affidavits from the persons in question.

The Court asked to be allowed to see the affidavits. The affidavits were handed up to him and read by his honor.

In response to question by the Court, Colonel Garrity said that he appeared for Mr. Knight.

Judge Ogden then said that he had been given to understand that no continuance in the case would be asked for. One year ago, the case had been set for trial and Mr. Knight had said then that if the case was continued to accommodate him, he would not ask for another continuance. Either Collins would be ready with his defense or he (Knight) would get some other attorney to conduct the case.

Then again when the case was set for trial, another continuance was asked for and at that time, the same promise was made that if the case should be continued no further request for a continuance would be asked. There has been, he believed, one or two other continuances previous to that. It was apparent that if he should continue the case along from time to time because Mr. Knight was engaged in other work, the case would never be tried. It was important that the case should go to trial. It was important to the State, to the people and to the defendant. The defendant was charged with the crime of murder. It was the most serious charge that could be made against a person.

IMPORTANCE OF THE CASE.

Of all cases such a case should have precedence. If Mr. Collins had informed the Court that Mr. Knight could not be present to defend him, the court would have appointed an attorney to defend, but he had waited till the last moment and then asks for another continuance.

District Attorney Brook said that he had heard from Attorney Knight a week ago to the effect that he (Knight) could not be present and wanted to know what he (Shook) was going to do in the matter. The speaker had told Mr. Knight that he would have to address himself to the Court.

"That would have given the defendant a week during which he might have selected an attorney and the attorney could have had time to prepare. I can see nothing else for me to do than to go to trial. If Mr. Collins desires, I will appoint an attorney and grant the attorney till tomorrow to prepare. Do you desire me to appoint an attorney to defend you?"

The question was addressed to the defendant Collins, who advanced to the Clerks' desk and stated that he was hard of hearing.

The Judge repeated the question stating at the same time that Mr. Knight had set forth in his affidavit that he could not attend to conduct the trial for a month and that the case would have to give way so far as his engagements were concerned.

Collins said he would like to consult with Mr. Knight in the premises.

"I can't wait to suit Mr. Knight," said Judge Ogden. "The business of this court must be transacted and must be dispatched."

At the prompting of Mrs. Boogar, Collins said he would like to telephone to Mr. Knight.

The Court wanted to know how much time he would require.

Collins said he did not know.

TO APPOINT SOME OTHER PERSON.

Judge Ogden said that he would allow Mr. Collins until two o'clock this afternoon and that if Mr. Knight did not then appear he (the Court), would appoint an attorney to defend Collins and that the attorney would be required to prepare so as to go on with the case tomorrow.

The Court then took a recess.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Attorney Knight not having appeared, Judge Ogden appointed Colonel Thomas Garrity to defend Collins.

The court then adjourned till 3 o'clock to allow the bailiff to notify Colonel Garrity of the appointment.

CULMINATION OF A FEUD.

Sailors Fight a Boarding House Master and Shots Are Fired.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—The long standing feud between the members of the Sailors' Union and boarding house master John Cane came to a climax this morning when Cane was attacked by Frank Johnson, a seaman, on East street.

While the fight was in progress Captain E. W. K. Masters of the barkentine Gardiner City appeared upon the scene and went to Cane's assistance.

At that moment, however, Cane drew a pistol and fired at his assailant, but the bullet, missing its mark, struck Captain Masters in the fleshy part of the right leg, inflicting a painful wound.

DISASTEROUS FLOODS IN NEW JERSEY.

Trees Uprooted and Lighting Overturns a Car.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 10.—A terrible storm struck this city this afternoon. The rainfall was heavy and much damage was done by the cyclonic wind which accompanied it.

Trees were uprooted in some places, signs and fences carried away and trolley cars were stopped. One crowded was struck by lightning, but fortunately no one was injured.

Numerous streets were flooded.

OHIO POPULISTS PLANNING FUSION.

One Wing of the Party Wants to Join the Democrats Again.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 10.—The Populist State Convention will meet here tomorrow. The preliminary contests are now being fought. One wing favors fusion with or endorsement of the Democratic State ticket. There are contests in the delegations of eight counties.

Thomas Fitzsimmons, chairman of the State Central Committee, is leading the fusionists, and Andrew J. Orr of Cleveland the anti-fusionists. He was appointed by the Nashville conference to reorganize the party in Ohio.

The State Central Committee, which has a fusion majority, is selecting temporary officers for the convention. Tonight the fusionists will hold a meeting in the Auditorium and the anti-fusionists one at the State House.

THE REGENTS MAY HELP.

A Plan Proposed to Continue the State Printing Office.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 10.—There is some prospect of overcoming the obstacles in the way of operating the State Printing Office which have attended Governor Budd's veto of the appropriation for that institution. The plan suggested is that the Regents of the State University advance the necessary funds with which to conduct the office, in all $221,600, appropriated by the Legislature for the support of the office, which the Governor vetoed. The University perpetual endowment fund now amounts to $1,930,216, which with private donations to the amount of $305,705 gives it $2,705,921. The Regents have absolute control of the funds. Some opposition might be made by Governor Budd, as he is President of the Board of Regents.

The appropriation for the State Printing Office, and which Budd vetoed, is included in the tax levy and will have to be paid by the taxpayers, and after it has been collected it will remain tied up in the State Treasury until the next session of the Legislature at least.

SURVEYING THE PACIFIC CABLES.

British Steamers Have Completed the Line From Australia to Honolulu

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 10.—H. M. S. Algerta, one of the survey ships of Her Majesty's navy, will soon arrive here to take part in a survey for the Pacific cables. Late advices from Honolulu are to the effect that H. M. S. Penguin has completed a survey from Australia to Honolulu and Algeria and will make the survey from here to Honolulu.

It is also said that the Admiralty is about to make a survey of Clayoquot Sound and issue a new chart of that harbor. Information derived from that survey will be of benefit in determining a landing place for the cable.

NEGROES FLEEING.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CLAYTON, N. M., Aug. 10.—Notices have been conspicuously posted about town warning all negroes to leave before August 15th. Nearly all the negroes here are preparing to go away.

An American Girl to Wed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Aug. 10.—The approaching marriage is announced of Captain Arthur Hay, a brother of the Earl of Errol and a captain in the Second Battalion of the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders to Hermione, daughter of Mrs. S. C. Henley, who has large property interests at Pittsburg, Pa.

Death From an Accident.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 10.—Paul Erdmann, a teamster, died in this city this morning from injuries received yesterday afternoon on a runaway accident. Erdmann was thrown to the ground and the wagon passed over his body. Deceased was about 36 years of age. His half brother lives in or near Santa Cruz.

Fell Off a Porch.

Mrs. M. McKenna a nurse was treated for an abrasion of the back at the Receiving Hospital last night. She had fallen off a porch at 306 Seventh street, a residence where she had been nursing a sick patient.

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ANCIENT VSSEELS SAIL FOR ALASKA.

Two Old Tubs Take a Crowd of Miners to the Yukon.

One Was Obtained From Russia in the Purchase of Alaska.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 10.—The steamer Eliza Anderson, an old fashioned side-wheeler, built in Portland, Oregon, in the early fifties, leaves today for Clondyke via St. Michaels, with one hundred and fifty passengers. She is a wooden vessel and for sixteen years was out of service, one year of which time she was lying at the bottom of the Sound.

The Eliza Anderson will be conveyed by the Tug Holycke, the latter having in tow the small steamer Merwin, the schooner W. J. Bryant, and the dismantled steamer Polly, which will be used as a barge on the Yukon River, plying between Dawson City and St. Michaels.

The Merwin will also run on the Yukon. No one knows how old the Polly is. Her original name was "Pohtkofsky" and she was included in the purchase of Alaska by the United States from Russia in 1867.

At that time the Polly was a Russian gunboat located at Sitka. She was later sold by the United States to Port Blakely Mill Company on Puget Sound.

Up to this date nearly four thousand miners have sailed from Seattle for Yukon and about two thousand more have sailed from other points north and south.

SUSPECT THE SON-IN-LAW.

Officers Are Investigating the Murder of Capitalist Schofield.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 10.—Local officers this morning notified the sheriff of Fresno to investigate Clark Johnson's statement that he was there Friday night or early on Saturday morning, carefully. If they find this to be true they are instructed to release Johnson, but to keep him under surveillance, so that he could be had if wanted.

Johnson's sudden disappearance from here on Friday caused his arrest, as the murder of Schofield, his father-in-law, occurred that night or the next morning. So far there have been no developments in the case.

At the sheriff's office there are indications that something has been discovered, but the officers are non-committal.

Dutcher, who was rushed out of town last evening, has not been brought back. It is supposed that the officers are keeping him away from his friends in the hope that something may be learned before the young man can be posted. All the defendants will be arrigned at the same time, probably on Friday or Saturday next.

MUST FILE CERTIFICATES.

Physicians Have Been Derelict in Recording Births

Health Officer J. P. Dunn is making a vigorous protest against physicians who fail to file birth certificates. It is estimated that not more than half the births are recorded.

Recently two rather queer certificates have been presented at the Health Office to be filed. One was that of Maria H. Lindbery who was born eight years ago and the other was that of Wa Ah Kee, a Chinaman, twenty years of age.

Although the law requires that the births shall be recorded before the fifth day of the succeeding month, City Attorney Dow has held that both certificates shall be filed.

REPUBLICANS WAKING UP.

The Republicans of Oakland have been moving about rather livery since the announcement of W. R. Davis' candidacy for Governor. Among those who have been interesting themselves in Mr. Davis' behalf are H. A. Powell, W. W. Knickerbocker and J. E. Farnum. They have been supervising a number of caucuses held of late.

Alameda's 1896 Republican vote of 1896 will give this county a large delegation in the next Republican State Convention for the basis of State convention representation is always the party vote of the last election. Alameda County gave the Republican electors last fall 13,429 votes, as against a vote for Estee in 1893 of 8,150 and a vote for Harrison for President in 1892 of 8,793. In view of these figures Alameda's delegation to the next Republican State Convention will be one-half larger than ever before.

Market Quotations.

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CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat very active. Advanced 3 cents per bbu. since yesterday's close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept. Wheat	79⅝-¾	81⅝	79⅝-¾	81½
Sept. Corn	27⅝-¾	27⅝	27	27½
Sept. Pork	7 70	7 77	7 60	7 75

Sept. Wheat, Puts, 79½; Sept. Wheat, Calls 84½; Sept. Wheat, Curb, 81¾-⅞.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	145	148	145	145½
Tobacco	94¼	95¾	94	94
C. B. & Q.	95¾-95⅞	96½	95⅝	96⅜
Chicago Gas	101⅞	101⅞	101⅛	101⅝
E. G. Electric	37½	37½	37	37⅛
Manhattan	105	105½	104¼	104½
Northwestern	120	120⅞	120	120⅝
Rock Island	85½	85½	85	85⅜
St. Paul	93½-¾	94⅛	93½	93⅝
Western Union	93	93⅜	92½	92⅝
Jersey Central	97½	97½	96¾	96⅞

Discharging Coal.

The ship Mopoka is discharging a cargo of coal at the Oregon Improvement Company's wharf.

Gone to Napa

Hulda Samuelson has been committed for insanity to Napa. The examiners were Doctors Fearn and Bradley.

Good washing gives long life to clothes. The Oakland Laundry does good washing. We will tell you about our work in a few days. Watch and read.

BITTER FIGHT OF KENTUCKY REPUBLICANS.

Factions Are Fighting for the Selection of Court Clerk.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY SCORED.

Declared to Be Unworthy of Recognition by the Convention.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 10.—The publican State Convention for the nomination of a candidate for Appellate Court Clerk, met in Music Hall.

Under the inspiring strains of "Enquirer March," the one thousand delegates took their seats at 2 o'clock. A very fair sprinkling of colored candidates was noticeable.

Dr. W. J. Deane, the newly elected United States Senator from Kentucky, will be their temporary chairman. George W. Denny of Kentucky will be permanent chairman.

There will be a bitter fight between the Bradley and Hunter-Todd factions, the former claiming that the State administration should be endorsed while the latter assert that a man who knifed Dr. Hunter last spring and winter before last as Governor Bradley did, is not worthy of recognition in a Republican gathering.

Governor Bradley is in this city with his friends about him. They say they will introduce a resolution endorsing Governor Bradley's administration and if it is defeated they will make it hot for the Hunter-Todd men before fall. There are evidences of a bitter and vicious fight on all sides and neither faction will ask or give quarter. All the leading Republicans in the State are on hand.

The district conventions were held this forenoon and in the Fourth, Sixth, and Tenth there were contentions. Considerable feeling was engendered each set of delegates claiming to be the properly authenticated. The Bradleyites are making a bitter war on C. E. Sapp, President McKinley's appointee for Collector of Internal Revenue in this, the Fifth District.

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DIED.

JOHNSON—At the County Infirmary, August 10, 1897, Albert Johnson, a native of Sweden, aged 45 years.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$783,799 78
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	116,827 98
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	2,101 70
Stocks, securities, etc.	524 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	8,081 12
Other real estate and mortgages owned	20,780 75
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	282 44
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,200 51
Due from approved Reserve agents	18,0[illegible] 94
Checks and other cash items	252 94
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,051 62
Notes of other National Banks	625 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	2 [illegible]
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At the meeting of the Directors of the Merchants' Exchange last night the following members were present: Chairman Arper, Directors Sohst, Wixson, Cushing, Muhr, Farwell, Sanborn, Sinclair, Gier, Schluetter, Reed, Coward and Champlin.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary Pearce and were approved.

Mr Cushing of the Hotel Committee said that no progress had been made in the matter.

Mr. Gier of the Tunnel Committee said that Miss Chabot had placed at the disposal of the committee the right of way through her property and that the deed had been prepared some years ago, but had never been placed on file.

County Engineer Nusbaumer had said that he would make another survey of the proposed route for the road, and that he would report to the Exchange some time this week.

The effect of the Supreme Court's decision on the Clark road law, Mr. Gier said, had not been discussed by the road committee.

Mr. Wixson of the committee to see the Street Superintendent with respect to the repairing of streets at the expense of the city reported that he and Mr. Farwell had called on Street Superintendent Miller and had talked with him on the subject.

Mr. Miller had said that the objection to the project was the fact of the city's not being able to pay for the repairs. He seemed determined, the speaker said that the way to repair the streets was to use the present city roller when dressing was required and the expense to be borne by the property owners.

Mr. Farwell said that the Superintendent of Streets had expressed a desire to do all that he could but claimed that it would have to be done at the expense of the property owners.

Mr. Brown said that he did not think there was any way in which the city could repair the streets. The law provided that if the streets were put into a certain condition and were then accepted by the Council, the city could take care of them afterwards, as was the case on San Pablo avenue. When streets were worn out, the only way to put them in order was to pay for it. If officers of the law could do people and notified them that the streets had to be improved the people then began to kick immediately. It was unfortunate that, as soon as a man got into public office he was looked on as a scoundrel.

FIXING TELEGRAPH AVENUE.

Mr. Brown then referred to the fact that $1,100 of the city's money had gone into the roadbed of Telegraph avenue.

Mr. Wixson said that he was willing to pay something to the city to help to repair Telegraph avenue, but later on he would want the city to repair his street. If the city could put $1,100 into the improvement of Telegraph avenue, the city could put $11,600 to repair Webster street.

Mr. Arper referred to the fact that there were quite a number of defects in the charter and it was advised that the charter should be studied up and perhaps some remedies might be suggested.

Mr. Brown held that there were defects in the State law.

Mr. Arper said that if the fault lay in the State law then that should be gotten over. The business of the city was being done in a bungling manner. The question seemed to be not how to do it, but how not to do it, unless a whole army of parasites could be maintained.

Mr. Brown said that under the State law, if the city needed a sewer it could order the work to be done. He thought they ought to elect people to office who would fill the office intelligently. If a protest came in, it ought to set aside six months.

Mr. Arper said he could not understand why any person, with any public spirit, would object to making the necessary repairs.

Mr. Brown said that he grade of Eighth street had been changed three times. It had been raised by one engineer, lowered by another and raised again by a third engineer.

Mr Arper thought that a committee ought to be appointed with a similar committee from the Board of Trade to see what was necessary to be done to remedy the defects in the State law and the charter in order that the evils complained of might be eradicated.

SUPT. MILLER'S TALK.

Street Superintendent Miller then made his appearance. He thought that the present law was a good one. The trouble was the opposition to the law which had been shown by the people. There had been several reasons expressed for opposition to the re-macadamizing of streets.

People had advanced all kinds of ideas for opposing the repairs. It was simply the question of paying $5 for the re-dressing of every lot of twenty-five feet. He had heard, he said, that several members of the Exchange had signed some of those petitions and he would like to hear those members express the reasons which governed them in signing the documents. He had made every effort to have the public understand that the cost would be light. For the improvement of Fifteenth street and Oak street the cost was only 20 cents per front foot.

Mr. Brown asked what the improvement of Fifteenth street had cost.

Mr. Miller replied that the work had been done under private contract at the rate of 20 cents per front.

Mr. Champlin wanted to know whether the city steam roller was let out to contractors.

Mr. Miller said that the Council had decided to furnish the roller, engineer and coal as an inducement to property owners as the part of the expense of the improvement to be borne by the city.

In the matter of the acceptance of streets, continued Superintendent of Streets Miller, the policy of the city government was not to accept streets unless they were properly paved. Macadamized streets were not properly paved, especially streets on which there was heavy traffic. For that reason, in the matter of the acceptance of streets, the Council would decline to accept macadamized streets. If it should accept such streets, it would have no chance to accept better paved streets, because there would be no inducement to property owners to pave streets in a more substantial manner then.

Mr. Miller then repeated that he would like to hear from Directors Farwell and Sohst, both of whom, he understood, had signed the protest against the paving of Eighth street.

MR. SOHST'S EXPLANATION.

"My reason," said Mr Sohst, "for signing the protest can be given in very few words. I called at the City Hall five weeks ago with a petition to have our name taken off the protest. Mr Farwell was there and there were several other gentlemen there also. I did not know that the street was going to be redressed or remacadamized until some one came to me with a long petition for the repairing of the street from Webster street to the bridge, with the block between Franklin and Webster street left out, because, they said that it was I who got the job put up to repair the street—that I had a finger in the pie. The one block was left out. I am ashamed for a great many things that I have nothing to do with. Mr Miller might have saved himself a great deal of annoyance and the people of Oakland a great deal of trouble and also the people on Eighth street if he had come to them, to Farwell, to Mr. Seeman, myself and others and called the work by its right name. I call the work by its right name, redressing such as it was done on Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Instead of that, on Eighth street, it was called remacadamizing. There is an awful difference between re-dressing and re-macadamizing. 'Re-dressing' does not sound so hard. When you come to remacadamize a street it means that the whole of it may be torn up and then the people kick and get up protests because they know nothing about it."

"I signed the protest against remacadamizing because that meant going down in the people's pocket and doing what had already been done twice."

Mr Miller here inquired how Mr. Sohst knew that such was the case.

Mr. Sohst said that redressing meant having something on the top, whereas re-macadamizing meant tearing up all of the roadway to do the work.

Mr. Miller said that people who thought that way ought to make inquiry before forming an opinion.

Mr Sohst wanted to know why Miller had not gone to the people on the street and told them what was to be done. "He could," continued Mr Sohst, "have told Mr Farwell. He could have told Mr. Seeman, what it would have cost. Even if it had cost 50 cents per front foot, Farwell would not have signed the protest. There are some people on this street who, if the improvement cost only 10 cents per foot, would not pay for it.

"But, (addressing Mr Miller) why didn't you come and tell the business men on the street and talk business? I mean no hard feelings. We would have understood you at once. If you had come to us and told us that the work would only cost $5 per lot we would have shaped it for you with some of the people on the street. But some people on the street would not have it done if it cost only 25 cents."

Mr. Farwell stated, by way of showing that Mr. Sohst had removed his name from the protest and that he and the speaker had gone to the city hall to take their names off the petition.

MEANING OF REDRESSING.

Mr. Miller then spoke again: "There is" he said, "no such word as 'redressing,' in the law. In drawing up the specifications we have to use the word 're-macadamizing.' Re-dressing means nothing. This was set forth plainly three times in the daily press of this city, and it was shown, too, that the cost would be not to exceed $5 per lot. As to not calling on you, how did I know what information you wanted. I could not read your mind at a distance."

Mr. Sohst said that when Miller's articles appeared in the press his name and that of Farwell had been taken off the protest.

Mr. Brown said that he would assume that re-macadamizing meant the taking up of the whole street.

Mr. Arper said that it was likely that many people had received a false impression as to the extent of the work to be done, under the proposed improvement and that a public meeting, at which the subject of repairing the streets should be discussed, ought to be held. There were many who would not object to paying $5 or even $20 for repairs, but there would be some who would object to doing the work over again.

Mr. Sohst then said that another one of the reasons which enrolled people to sign the protest was the announcement that the street railway on Eighth street would not pay for its share of the improvement, because it could not be compelled to pay, as it was in the hands of a receiver.

RAILROADS WILL PAY.

Mr. Miller said that he had the assurance of the courts that the railroad company would be compelled to do its duty. He had inquired into the status of the railroad company and had no doubt that the city and the authority to compel the company to pay for its share of the work.

Mr. Sohst then said that a majority of the property owners were now in favor of the improvement had, in fact, removed their names from the protest.

Mr. Miller said he was not aware of the fact, but that even if it were so, it would not help the improvement along, because the moment the protest was filed the work was stopped for six months. Nothing could be done then for six months after the filing of the protest, unless another petition, signed by a majority of the property owners should be filed in favor of the work.

It was then suggested by Mr. Cushing that as the Exchange proposed to aid the street department in getting streets repaired, it would be easier for the committee, if the superintendent would let them know where he contemplated making improvements so as to save the committeemen from running around to find out by accident where the work is to be done.

Mr. Miller said that he would put in at the next meeting of the Council requests for the redressing of Grove street from Sixteenth to San Pablo avenue; Eighteenth street from San Pablo to Grove, Eighth street from Market to Myrtle, and Lake street between Jackson and Oak.

WEBSTER STREET WORK.

Mr. Wixson then asked why the city proposed or considered the appropriation of $7,000 for the repair of Webster, when it was appropriating nothing for other streets.

Mr. Miller said that was what he would like to know.

Mr. Brown wanted to know where the law was on the subject.

Mr. Miller said that the city could, if it saw fit, appropriate all or part of the cost of the improvement of any street.

Mr. Reed said that the base of supplies was at the water front, where the wood and coal and other supplies were obtained. The matter of streets leading to that locality ought to be taken into consideration. Adams' wharf was going to have an immense traffic. It was the only one at which much business was done, and the streets leading to it ought to be improved.

Mr. Gier said that Clay street, the next coming business street, ought to be repaired. In some places it was so rough that a vehicle could not be drawn over it without danger of breaking it. He thought the Exchange ought to go to the Council and see that the street was put in good condition.

Mr. Miller suggested that the proper thing for the Exchange to do would be to go to the property owners on the street and get them to sign a petition in favor of the work.

Mr. Wixson then referred to cases where he said work was rushed through in a peculiar manner.

Mr. Miller said that he did not think that any Council would "jam" through unnecessary work on the people. The matter stood with the people. If such a thing should be attempted, they could go to the Council fifty strong in a body and they would find out that the Council would be willing to see what the people wanted. He did not think that any Council would be so corrupt as to force on the people something which they knew the people did not want.

Mr. Sohst stated that in two years, but then these were in better times, he had paid out $1,800 for public improvements.

EFFECT OF BAD STREETS.

Mr. Miller then spoke on the injurious effect to the city which had been the result of the bad streets. There were many more houses going up in Alameda and Berkeley than there were in Oakland. A number of builders had gone elsewhere and these he attributed to the bad streets of the city.

He then touched again on the subject of paying for street work out of the city treasury, claiming that that could not be done under the present system of taxation. The people would not stand a tax levy of $2, and a great increase would have to be made to stand the expense which would be entailed. The cost of repairing Twelfth street alone would be $100,000, and of that amount only $25,000 was available and they had been two years getting that sum in the proper fund.

Mr. Wixson said that with the amount paid by private individuals for public improvements added to the amount expended by the city would make all the improvements required with an increased expenditure of not 10 per cent.

Mr. Miller said that if the Exchange would take hold of the work and aid in the repairing of streets, it would have every street in the city inside of a year in first class condition.

The remark was received with cheers by the members.

EIGHTH STREET BRIDGE.

At the last meeting it was said that 15 per cent of the lumber in the Eighth street bridge was of No 2 quality, when the specifications called for No. 1.

Secretary Pearce had been appointed a committee to investigate the statement.

He reported that he had conversed on the subject with City Engineer Clement and that that official had said that the bridge had been accepted and that the specifications called for only good lumber, not specifying either No. 1 or No. 2.

Mr. Reed said he had no personal grievance to air in the matter, but that he had been told by the former City Engineer, Wilson, that the specifications called for No. 1 lumber and that he had since been informed that 45 per cent of the material in the structure was of No. 2 quality.

Mr. Reed and Secretary Pearce were appointed a committee to further investigate the matter.

Secretary Pearce reported according to instruction at the last meeting, that he had investigated the charge of Mr. Lenz that the Board of Public Works had furnished a contract to City Engineer Carleton for supplying the city blue stone at a figure lower than that in Lenz's bid. Secretary Pearce's report showed that the contract had not been let to Carleton, but that the city had been buying direct from the Selby Smelting Company because it could get cheaper rates there. The Selby figures with those of Lenz were compared and it was shown that there was a difference in favor of Selby as against Lenz of 43 cents in every two tons.

Mr. Sohst said that it did not seem altogether right that for the purpose of saving 43 cents, the city should purchase material in a San Francisco house and thus send money away and injure those who would spend their money at home.

At the suggestion of Chairman Arper Mr. Cushing offered a motion that hereafter private grievances of members against public officials shall be first submitted in private to the president or secretary of the Exchange, by whom they will be investigated. If it shall be discovered that there is merit in the charge, then the Exchange will be requested to discuss the subject and take action. The motion prevailed.

Secretary Pearce said he had received a suggestion from the Mayor that 100 copies of "Facts and Figures" should be sent to the Klondyke to be distributed among miners returning to this part of the country laden with gold. He offered to pay the postage on the books.

As the miners are not expected to return before they get money, it was decided to hold the books until spring, when some men may have made a pile and may be induced to come here to spend it.

The meeting then adjourned.

NO WILMERDING SCHOOL FOR OAKLAND.

The Regents Decide to Erect the Big Institution in San Francisco.

The Regents of the University decided yesterday to locate the Wilmerding school in the Potrero, South San Francisco. This effectually shuts out all chance for this city.

The history of the selection of the site for the Wilmerding school dates back to the time of the death of J. C. Wilmerding, in February, 1894, when a reading of his will revealed the fact that he had made a bequest of $400,000 to the University of California for the purpose of establishing a School of Industrial Arts, to be devoted to teaching trades and the applied sciences. Although no decision had been reached by the donors as to the site, it was generally understood that San Francisco was the place he favored.

The final negotiations for the purchase of the lot will now be rapidly pushed, and subscriptions will probably be started among some of the public-spirited citizens to raise the sum required for the lot. It is expected that work on the school will soon be commenced and a thoroughly equipped trade school be added to the educational facilities of San Francisco. The original donation of $400,000 by judicious investment has not reached $435,000, and for this a handsome showing can be made for the new school.

Elect a New Board.

At the annual meeting of the Home Security Building and Loan Association last night the following directors were elected:

C. W. Kinsey, C. E. Palmer, J. Tyrell, J. S. Burpee, W. H. Friend, M. W. Upton, J. T. Burcham, W. W. Whitman, F. A. Leach, C. K. Clark, J. B. Richardson.

After their election the directors immediately elected the following officers: President, C. E. Palmer; vice-president, W. H. Friend; secretary, C. K. Clark; attorney, J. B. Richardson.

Lived in Alameda.

Captain E. W. K. Masters who was accidentally shot by a shipping agent, John Cane, yesterday as announced in yesterday's Tribune, is an Alameda man residing at 2921 Lincoln avenue. The wound while not serious, is painful. The belligerent sailor has been arrested charged with assault to murder.

WILL MEET DR. BROWN

Bay Conference Accepts the Suspended Minister's Challenge.

THE LEGALITY OF THE ACTION.

Criticism of the Move by the Brethren of Dubuque.

THE DOCTOR UNDER SUSPICION

His Request for a Hearing May Not Be Felt at Hear.

When the Tribune's report of the Bay Conference of the Congregational Church closed yesterday afternoon, the second and third recommendations of the special committee on the action of Rev. C. O. Brown were under consideration. The conference had previously decided to meet in council with Dr. Brown on the question of the action of the Bay Conference in suspending him.

The registrar read the second recommendation:

"That the council consider these questions:

"Was the Bay Conference justified in suspending Dr. C. O. Brown?

"Was Dr. C. O Brown justified in seeking and accepting membership in the Dubuque Conference when he was under suspension in the Bay Conference?"

Dr. C. R. Brown of the First Church of this city suggested an amendment that the words "and accepting" be stricken out.

Dr. Moore thought that the charges of seeking and accepting membership should both go before the council.

Dr. C. R Brown's amendment was lost.

With respect to the recommendation as regards the justification of the act of the Bay Conference in suspending Brown, Dr. Pond of San Francisco wanted to have the recommendation substituted by the following:

"Did the result of the Ecclesiastical Conference held in February, 1896, justify the Bay Conference in suspending Dr. C. O. Brown from membership?"

Dr. Pond said that it was an ecclesiastical matter which it was desired to hear and not a reopening of the old case.

Rev. Mr. Tubbs said the conference was not on trial. The recommendation was couched in dignified terms. The suspension of Dr. Brown was not on trial. It was simply to join Dr. Brown in a council.

Rev. Mr. Foster wanted to know whether Dr. Pond's substitute was intended to affect the formal point.

Dr Pond said that was just what it was intended to do.

Rev. Mr. Foster said he could which shall meet would be prevented from taking up the guilt or innocence of Dr. Brown.

Dr. Pond said that if the merits of the case were not brought up under the reading of the recommendation he did not understand language.

Dr. Foster said that if the matter of the guilt or innocence should be brought up it would be objected to on the ground that the preceding conference had passed on the subject and the matter could not be gone into.

Dr. C. R. Brown offered a substitute for Dr. Pond's motion, which was practically the same as the recommendation of the committee.

Dr Chapman wanted the matter so framed that Dr. Brown could not decline going into the council. The words of the committee were the words of Dr Brown himself. The words gave the conference the right to say that it was right in suspending Brown, and gave Brown the right to say where the conference was wrong, if it was wrong.

Dr. Pond withdrew the substitute.

The question then reverted on the original proposition as to whether the conference was justified in suspending Dr. Brown, and it was adopted unanimously.

Dr. Foster moved that the recommendation as to the justification of Brown seeking and accepting membership in the Dubuque Conference while under suspension in the Bay District be adopted. He said that the conference should address itself to the associations which had accepted him while under suspension.

Dr Cruzan said that it was simply a question of one council or two councils. He would have the matter directed against the Dubuque Council, but did they want a second council? Could they not settle the matter in one council?

Dr. C. R. Brown said that he thought they ought to meet Dr. C. O. Brown on his own words as to whether or not the Bay Conference was justified in suspending him. If the council which had received Brown at Dubuque and had then given him letters to Chicago should learn that a mutual council had decided that that suspension was just, they would not support a man who had been sentenced by another conference.

Dr. Foster said that the idea was a strange one that Dubuque and Chicago should accept a man who had been suspended by the Bay Association.

Dr. Nash favored only one inquiry.

Dr Chapman offered the following, to be inserted in front of the recommendation as to the justness of the act of the Bay Conference in suspending Dr. Brown. "We respectfully ask that the council also consider and act upon the question."

There was some discussion as to the merits of the proposition before the matter was finally determined, and a motion to recommit the whole subject to the committee of five was voted down.

Dr. C. R. Brown offered a substitute to all the recommendations, but no action was taken upon it.

The recommendation of the committee with Dr. Chapman's prefix was then adopted.

Similar action was taken upon the recommendation of the committee questioning the justification of Dr. C. O. Brown's seeking and accepting membership in the Dubuque Conference while under suspension in the Bay Conference.

The last feature of the recommendations was appointing a committee of seven to prepare for the holding of the council and to arrange any details therefor which might be required. The recommendation was adopted.

Dr. Cruzan suggested that it might be advisable for the conference to express a wish to the committee that the proposed council should be held as near here as possible, suggesting also that Denver might be a proper place in which to meet.

It was decided to leave that matter to the discretion of the committee.

On motion of Dr. Foster, the special committee of five was given authority to act as the nucleus of the committee of seven, and to select two others in order to make the membership of the committee complete.

Dr. Moore said that he would rather have some other person selected to act on the committee in his stead.

Dr. Chapman said that that matter could be attended to by the committee.

The committee was also empowered to fill any vacancy which might take place in its ranks.

A recess was then taken till the evening.

The Evening Session.

The Bay Conference having disposed of the black sheep of the flock, Dr. C. O. Brown at the afternoon's session, was enabled in the evening to attend to more intellectual pursuits.

An address which was programmed for the afternoon was given in the evening. L. C. McAfee, a well known business man of San Francisco gave an interesting review of Professor H. S. Nash's 'Genesis of the Social Conscience." Mr. McAfee spoke of the gradual growth in the respect for the individual, the widening from the high ideals of a particular race of mankind in general. He compared the Roman pagan of the past to the Christian of the present. The Roman believed all foreigners to be barbarians; to be creatures without refinement, without high ideals. The growth of the Roman Empire, the granting of citizens rights to the aliens slowly broadened this thought but it was not until Christianity came that the Hindoo, the Chinese or any other heathen was admitted to have a soul, to be a fellow man.

Christianity could not exist at the time of the Roman emperors easily so the would-be Christians withdrew from intercourse with the outside world and began to associate themselves in bands and monasteries.

By this means they lived a high pure life which was, however, decidedly restricted. No thought was given to the mother of the race and naturally the result of the one-sided monastic system was not altogether a success. The monasteries had their uses in broadening and deepening religious life. The Reformation came to widen the scope of humanity, to give the laymen as well as the clergy an opportunity to lead a pure and holy life.

Mr. Nash in his book travels through all space from the religion of Greece to that of France. His book is a small one and is naturally, as he says, a "railroad glimpse of the growth of the soul from the theological view. The practical outcome of the book, said Mr. McAfee, was the manner in which it impress one with the unity of God, how He worked through all things to raise man higher.

God's interest in man's salvation was the next topic discussed. The Rev. H. T. Shepard of Olivet Church, San Francisco, discussed the subject.

"Christ seeks the salvation of all men," said he. "He would have none lost and we can feel that God takes a keen interest in this. The consensus of opinion of the Christian Church is that the righteous shall live eternally and the wicked shall be punished. The weakest shall be encouraged and raised up and the poor are to be taken care of. Christ taught us that the strong should care for the weak. Sin inevitably leaves its mark on the body, so is the spirit marred by sin. Nature's laws are unavoidable. God desires to remove this sin. There is no sin or sorrow in the world to come. I believe that there will be a difference in the future benefits to be reaped by the righteous and the repentant prodigate. There will be a right and left side to his throne.

"If God is supreme, will He allow any man to perish? It seems to me that the answer is to a certain extent 'yes.' He will at least offer salvation to all men. If we presume that the historic Christ must be presented to all men before they can be saved the question becomes complex and I cannot answer. Man must be granted a freedom of choice, the power to choose between right and wrong. Does God's interest in man end with saving them or annihilating? It rewards just so must suffering last. If a man dies with sin on his soul, he must suffer till the sin is expurgated."

The next address was by the Rev. J. R. Knodell of East Oakland and was relative to whether or not God's interest in man meant the final salvation of all men.

He said in part: "The word salvation means rescue from eternal death and the phrase eternal death signifies either eternal destruction, or to be shut out eternally from God's presence and glory. Now the question is, does God's interest in man's rescue from eternal death mean the final rescue of all men from eternal death? There are three theories—orthodox, universal salvation and eternal destruction. God made man immortal and fit for heaven. Sin unfitted man for heaven, but left him immortal. All men have sinned, so all are unfit for heaven. Unless some remedy is found man is forever lost. God has a remedy—faith in the Lord Jesus. All three theories agree as far as this. The orthodox view continues: All who accept Christ are to have a glorious immortality. All who do not, remain forever outcasts from God. God's interest saves all who are willing."

With prayer and song the Conference then adjourned.

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FEAR OF GOMEZ ENTERTAINED.

Loss to the Royal Troops Is Said to Be Very Heavy.

By Associated Press to the Tribune

NEW YORK Aug 11 A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says [illegible] transfer of the [illegible] and [illegible] to Matanzas [illegible] Accordingly the Spanish troops [illegible] hastily with heavy losses

[illegible] sensation in Havana is not known that Captain General Weyler is with the Matanzas column but it is thought Spanish troops [illegible] the hands of the Cubans If this is true the Spanish [illegible] systems against success [illegible] tors that Captain General [illegible] enzuela will attempt to [illegible] west in the battle [illegible]

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FAVORS NO TAXATION.

Ex-Councilman Bassett Writes of Assessing Water Companies.

He Believes It May Result in an Increased Tariff to Consumers.

Editor Tribune—Dear Sir: It is more than probable that by the time the city Board of Equalization meets this evening the gentlemen to imposing that body will realize that to impose the proposed tax upon the water companies will be a step toward working a hardship upon the masses of the city of Oakland.

Water is an essential to each household, and any action of the city government that ever so remotely tends to increase of the water rates is an invited premonition of an added tax to tax payers. When it is understood that neither of the water companies is paying its current expenses from its receipts it is plain that the imposition of additional outlay upon them is a reason and an argument for some arrangement that will increase receipts, and an increase of receipts means an increase in the cost of water.

It was upon this line of reasoning that while in the Council I maintained that the city should pay a higher rate for its hydrants. Such a plan would have reduced the chance of an advance of the water rate to the many. All are affected by such an advance. If the proposed tax is imposed it will affect but few and they but lightly, while out of the tax may come a condition of things that will seriously affect everybody. Since the city has had two water companies the rate payers have saved perhaps $200,000 per annum. It will not be wise to endanger this great saving in the future for a few dollars taxes. The man who killed the goose that laid the golden eggs lived to regret his unwise act. I am firmly of the opinion that the Council should favor the exemption of both of our water companies from taxation. The small sum such a policy will keep from the city treasury will be but an infinitesimal fraction to the sum that may be saved to the people—all the people of the city. Since there has been water competition the city itself has saved in the reduced rate for water and cheaper hydrants a thousand times more than the proposed tax of the two companies. Now we have a water Clondyke. The city government cannot afford to endorse a line of procedure that will, in the slightest degree, lead to a resumption of the old order of things.

Oakland, Aug. 11, 1897.

J. M. BASSETT.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

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Local quotations are as follows: $1.47½ for No. 1, $1.45@1.47½ for choice and $1.52½@1.57½ for extra choice for milling.

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FLOUR—Net cash prices are: Family extras, $4.75@5; Bakers' extras, $4.65@4.70 per bbl.

CORNMEAL, ETC.—Feed corn, $24@25 per ton; cracked corn, $26@28 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows: Graham flour, $2.75 per 100 lbs; rye flour, $2.70 per 100; rice flour, $5.75; cornmeal, $2.25; extra cream do, $3; cracked wheat, $3.50; oat groats, $4; hominy, $3.10@3.50; buckwheat flour, $3.25@3.50; cracked wheat, $2.25; farina, $4, whole wheat flour, $3; rolled oats (bbls), $4.50@5.15; pearl barley, $3.75@4; split peas, $4.50; green, do, $4.25 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$15.50@17 for the best and $13.50 per ton for outside brands.

MIDDLINGS—$18@20 for lower grades and $21@22 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $20@21; ordinary mill at the mill $20 per ton, jobbing, $21; chopped feed, $18@19 per ton.

HAY—Wheat, $11@15 per ton; wheat and oat, $10@14, oat, $10@12 50; barley, $9@12 compressed, $12.50@14; alfalfa, $7@8.50; stock $4@5, clover, $8.50@9.50 per ton.

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LAMB—Spring, 7@7½c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs 3½@3¾c for large and 3¾c for small and medium; soft hogs, 2½@3c per lb; dressed do, 5c.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $3.00, small whites, $1.75@1.85 per ctl; large whites, $1.20@1.40 per ctl; pinks, $1.35@1.50; reds, $1.20@1.30; blackeye, $1.50@1.60, red kidney, nominal; Limas, $1.75@1.85, Butters, $1.20@1.35, peas, $1.30@1.35.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $2.50@2.75; yellow mustard, $1.85 per ctl; flax, $1.00@1.75; canary seed, 2½@3c per lb; alfalfa, 6½c; rape, 2½@3c, hemp, 3c; timothy, 4½c.

DRIED FRUITS—Niles, nominal, green, $2.25@3.50 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—New Early Rose in boxes, 75@90c, in sacks, 40@50c, new Burbanks, 70@90c per ctl in boxes and 40@50c in sacks; Salinas Burbanks, 75@85, sweet potatoes, 1½@2c per lb.

ONIONS—Silverskins 80@85 per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Bay Squash, 37½c per box; marrowfat squash, $10@12 per ton; bay cucumbers, 15@25c per box; pickles, 75c@$1 for No. 1, 10@50c for No. 2, green peppers, 25@50c for Chile and 40@50c for Bell, green peas, 2½c per lb, string beans, 2½@3c per lb; Lima beans, 4c; green okra, 10@40c per box; egg plant, 5@6c, cabbage, 1@1½c per ctl; carrots, 25@30c per sack; garlic, 1½@2c per lb, tomatoes, 40@50c for river and 50@60c for Alameda, green corn, 30@40c per sack, 75@85c per crate for Berkeley and $1@1.10 per crate for Alameda.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys, 15@17c for gobblers and 12½@13c for hens; geese per pair, 75c@$1, ducks, $2.50@3.25 for old and $3@4.50 for young; hens, $3.50@4.50 per doz; roosters, young, $4@5, do, old, $3.50@4, fryers, $3.50@4.50 per doz, broilers $2.50@3 for large and $1.50@2.50 for small; pigeons, $1@1.25 per doz for young and for old.

GAME—Hare nominal; rabbits nominal.

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BUTTER—

CREAMERY—Fancy creameries, 23@24c; seconds, 22@22½c per lb.

DAIRY—Choice to fancy, 15@21c per lb; lower grades 13@18c.

PICKLED—16@18c per lb.

FIRKIN—14@17c per lb.

EASTERN—12@13c for ladle-packed.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 7½@8c; common to good, 6@7c per lb; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 8@9c; Western, 10c; Eastern, 14@15c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 17½@20c per doz, store eggs, 12@15c per doz, Eastern, 12@13c; duck eggs, 15c per doz.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DEPARTURE FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Sunol, Grays Harbor.....Aug. 11
Columbia, Portland.....Aug. 11
Pomona, Humboldt Bay.....Aug. 11
A. Blanchard Oregon ports.....Aug. 11
Australia, Honolulu.....Aug. 12
Santa Rosa, San Diego.....Aug. 12
Corona, Coos Bay.....Aug. 14
Coos Bay, Newport.....Aug. 14
City Puebla, Victoria and Pgt Sd.....Aug. 14
Belgic, China and Japan.....Aug. 14
Wecott, Humboldt Bay.....Aug. 14
Chilkat, Ferndale.....Aug. 15
Corona, San Diego.....Aug. 16
Truckee, Yaquina Bay.....Aug. 16
State of California, Portland.....Aug. 16
Arcata, Coos Bay.....Aug. 17
Eureka, Newport.....Aug. 18
City of Para, Panama.....Aug. 18

ARRIVALS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Protection, Tillamook Bay.....Aug 11
Crescent City, Crescent City.....Aug. 11
Czarina, Coos Bay.....Aug. 12
State of California, Portland.....Aug. 12
Coos Bay, Newport.....Aug. 12
Weott, Crescent City.....Aug. 12
Alliance, Portland.....Aug. 13
Truckee, Yaquina Bay.....Aug. 13
Signal, Humboldt Bay.....Aug. 13
Coronado, San Diego.....Aug. 14
Arcata, Coos Bay.....Aug. 14
Chilkat, Eel River.....Aug. 14
Willamette, Victoria and Pgt Sd.....Aug. 15
Eureka, Newport.....Aug. 15
Columbia, Portland.....Aug. 17
Santa Rosa, San Diego.....Aug. 18
Mineola, Panama.....Aug. 18
Sunol, Grays Harbor.....Aug. 21

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, AUG. 10, 1897.

Benj. L. and Jessie E. Savoy to Edith A. McLean, wf Geo., S 12 24th av 415 SW E 28th st SW 30 x SE 150, being pcn blk L, sub 60 Associate's tract; $10.

Mary and John Gorby and Theodore Mentz, by comr, to Peter L. Stubbe, E Webster st 50 S Buena Vista av S 125 x E 101, being lots 6 to 10, blk 11, map of Shepardson ppty; S Railroad av 350 E Chestnut E 50 x S 217-8 being lot 11 blk 6, lands adjacent to Encinal; N 6th st 82-6 E Washington E 2-6 x N 100, being the E 1-6 of lots 1 to 4, blk 66; $6.65.

Daniel D. and Annie Hayes to Jennie Dunlap, NE Fruitvale av and Belmont st N 17 x E 150, being lot 3 Hayes tract, Fruitvale, $10.

The McCarthy Co. (a corp) to M. G. and Manuela V. G. Rubio, lots 20 and 21 in sub E, Fruitvale Terminal tract, $10.

Laura E. and D. H. Beck to Jose F. G. Brazildero, Survey 75 (otherwise 146 S) containing 11.29 acres on official connected plat of Ex-Mission San Jose, being in Tp 4 SR 1 W; $1,250.

John Mallett, by comr., to Eliza Whitworth, N Taylor st 200 E Wood st E 50 x N 100-5 E 50 N 50 W 100 S 150-5 to beg, being lot 3 and E ½ lot 5 blk 394, $3,310.

Richard and Johanna Murphy to Lawrence Nolan, E Fillmore st 149-2 S Webster st S 57-6 x E 125 being lot 28 and S ½ lot 29, blk 594, Market st tract, $10.

Wm. J. and Virginia R. Dingee to John R. Spring, NE 15th and Broadway N 141 x E 100 subj to a mtge for $70,000; $5.

Rebecca Davidson, admx. estate Nathan Davidson, to Andrew H. Hathaway, all int lots 3 and 4 blk B, Gaskill tract; $779.

Chas. H. and Magdalena Anderson to Nancy J. Jones, NW Hunt st 50 SW Howard st SW 30 x NW 100, being lot 2 blk G map of Therm. Hill family Howe tract, $10.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Catherine S. Schmidt, lot 12 blk , map of sub pcn plot 79 Rancho E Peralta; $1,151.

W. H. and Melissa Snow to Parnel Fowden, wf Mark, E Fulton st 151.80 S Russel st S 50 x E 145 being lot 6 blk B, Suburban tract; $10.

J. D. and Edna McDonald to Jane McDonald, S Taylor av 40 E 40th st E 40 S 120 being pcn Aughinbaugh 228-acre tract; $10.

* * * Henry Lux et al. to Miller & Lux (a corp) re-record of 625 d 423, S Railroad av 155 E Bay st E 16 x S 100, being pcn lot 7 blk 25 Fitch Hd tract; lots 5 and 6 of sub of lot 13, Kingsland tract; lots 1 and 9 of sub of lot 8 blk F, Vernon Park; also all int in any real ppty in county of Alameda belonging to late co-partnership of Miller and Lux; $10.

* * * Henry, Philip and Barbara Lux, Henry St., and Henry Roehrig, Jr., Dorothea Rott, Henry Lux, as admr. estate Dorothea Roehrig, to L. Wolf, C. L. Michel, Emil and Geo. Lux, Henry Lux, as guardian estate Emil and Geo. Lux (minors), Henry Lux, as admr. estate Geo. Lux, Jesse S. Potter as trustee Chas. Lux et als.

PROBATE.

Estate of J. L. Shuck decree partial distribution to Annie Foley, SW Lincoln and Peralta sts W 286 x S 102, Okd.

Estate of Wm. Winser, order setting apart homestead to Kate Winter N San Jose av 100 E Oak st E 50 x N 150, Ala.

MORTGAGES.

John Allman to Hibernia S. & L. Society, SW 7th and Clay sts W 150 x S 100, being lots 12 to 18, blk 98; NE Elm and Broadway N 245-8 E 30-4 S 278 W 91-4 to beg, being pcn Lane and Webster st Hd, 1 year 7½ per cent, $21,000.

M. G. and Manuel V. G. Rubio to Continental B. & L. Assn lots 20 and 21 in sub E Fruitvale Terminal tract, 7 years 6 per cent; $550.

Theodore Eisteldt to S. F. Musical Fund Society, SE Buena Vista av and Malcurn st E 56 x S 105 being the N 105 ft of lots 12 and 14 blk B, town of Encinal, 1 year 7 per cent; $1 100

Mary A. and Edwin A. Handlett to Annie E. Stebbins, E Chestnut st 50 S Railroad av S 50 x E 150, 1 year 7 per cent; $2,000.

Mary Holden to Eliza E. Scotchler, SW Chittuck av and Delaware st S 40 W 100.05 N 59.90 E 102.87 to beg, being lot 7 blk 5, Sea View Park, 5 years 8½ per cent, $810.

Edward C. Bray to Philip Kolb, 6.41 acres beg at a point on SE line county road No. 1570 NE 8.17 chs from NW cor lands of Husted, th NE 3 chs NE 2.86 chs S 19 chs SW 7.95 chs N 6.06 chs to beg, pcn plot 2 Bernal pcn Rancho La Vaca de San Jose, 1 year 10 per cent; $450.

C. M. and Jessie L. Lambert to Victor N. Lynch, S 25th st 750 W Telegraph av W 50.9 S 114-10½, E 63-1½ N 114-9½ to beg, being lot 20 Perrin tract, Aug. 10, 1897, 8 per cent, $500.

W. J. and Maria Kraase to Alameda Savings Bank, S San Antonio av 400 W Walnut st W 50 x S 150 blk L, map of ppty Pioneer Hd Assn; $5.00.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

R. D. Hunter and A. Wilson to J. West Martin and Wm. G. Henshaw, trus Union Savings Bank, S 32d st 180 E Grove E 240 x S 140 being lots 18 to 21 and W 10 ft lot 17, blk 2036, Rowland tract; $1,850.

Daniel McLeod to same, E Linden st 220 N W 8th st N 50 x E 125 blk J, Market st tract, $1,400.

J. C. and Catherine S. Schmidt to Isaac L. Requa and W. W. Garthwaite, trus Oakland Bank of Savings, N University av 120 50 E San Pablo av E 97.70 N 204 W 116.08 S 201.83 to beg being lots 9 and 10 blk A, Rooney tract; NW Bkly way and Henry st W 45 x N 136.69 being lot 12 blk 2 map of sub of plot 79 Rancho E Peralta; $1,100.

John Yule to same, SW E 14th st 40 SE 26th av E 40 SW 125 NW 40 N125 to beg blk 1, Eden Park; SE 26th av 300 SW E 14th st SW 180 SE 120.26 NE 180 NW 120.22 to beg blk 1, same; lots 13 to 16 blk 1; lots 1, 5 to 8 and 11 blk 2 Eden Park; $10,000.

RELEASES.

Alameda Savings Bank to Henry A. Gerrish, 547 m 37, W Benton st 100 S Railroad av S 50 x W 150 being lots 13 and 14 blk 26, Fitch Hd tract; $2,000.

Union Savings Bank to Mary L. Whitney, 541 m 9, NE 8th and Jefferson sts N 200 E 150 S 100 W 2 S 100 W 125 to beg, being lots 1 to 11, 27 and 28 blk 91, $6,000.

J. C. Jentry to Margaret Ryan, 430 m 105, S Berkeley way 50 W Hamilton st W 50 x S 125 being lot 23 map of subs 9 and 10, Hardy tract; $140.

Edith Koch, fmly Millichap to J. G. and Cordelia E. Day, 447 m 277, W Adeline st 176 S 24th st S 25 x W 128-3 being lot 15 blk 621, map of Adeline st lots; $100.

Estate Henrietta T. Josse by W. Thomson, admr, to J. O. and Martha A. Hanscom, 429 m 169, NW Arch and Vine sts N 90 W 45 S 90 E to beg, being the E 45 ft lots 38, 39 and 40 blk 1, resub Anfsell Villa lots; $1,300.

Mary L. Sorelli to John Lynch, 484 m 1, the N ½ of S ½ range 1, Hardy tract; $3,000.

Oakland Loan and Investment Co. to Melissa Snow, 528 m 369, lot 6 blk B, suburban tract; $1,666.

Eliza B. Brokan to John and Mary E. Sweeney, 502 m 147, lots 47 and 48 map of Henry and Phillips tract; $200.

Andrew H. Hathaway to Nathan Davidson, 511 m 247, lots 3 and 4 blk G, Gaskill tract; $640.

ASSIGNMENT.

Arthur H. Denny to John Hinkel, assigns 539 m 409 made by Jas. L. Robinson April 9, 1896, for $1,000, NW Blake and Ellsworth sts W 50 x N 135 blk 454, Blake tract, Bkly; $10.

John Yule to Oakland Bank of Savings, assigns 128 m 435, made by E. and Emeline M. Powell March 7, 1893, for $3,300, lot 2 blk 2 and NE 5 ft of lot 3 blk 2, Eden Park, Bklyn Tp; 422 m 325 made by Delos Pratt Oct. 24, 1893, for $937, lot 5 blk 1, revised map Eden Park, Bklyn Tp; 187 m 141 made by Alice Peterson June 9, 1894, for $300, lot 16 blk 2, revised map Eden Park, Bklyn Tp; $10.

LIS PENDENS.

Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Augustin Bernal et al, to foreclose 433 m 333, 141 acres beg at a stake and mound at NE cor plot 47 Ro El Valle de San Jose, th E 48.43 chs to stake in center county road at S cor plot 44, th SW 10.85 chs SW 1.85 chs to W line right of way of W. P. R. R., th S W to its intersection with S line plot 43, th W 21.92 chs to S cor plot 37, th N 39.82 chs to beg, pcn plot 43 Ro El Valle de San Jose, Murray Tp. $10,000.

Mamie C. Bacon vs. Bacon Land and Loan Co. et al, to quiet title to NE 15th and Broadway N 114 x E 100 blk 261, Okd.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Libbie, Cora F., Howard, Herbert A., Bertha M. and Dora M. Cannift to Wm. H. Knight, general.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

John J. Moran and Frank Dunn to Norman Parrish, desks, organ, chairs, benches, etc., at Peralta school near Berkeley, Okd Tp., 1 year 7 per cent; $510.

Peter and Christian Johnson to Jens P. L. Bjorholm, 1-stone frame dwelling house and 1-story frame barn on E side county road Haywards to Niles, about ¼ of a mile from Haywards postoffice, Eden Tp., 1 year 8 per cent; $275.

EXECUTION.

John S. Mathey vs. Frank J. Woodward, ppty standing in name of S. C. Martin, NW 11th av 131.69 NE E-28th st NW 145 NE 50.05 SL 147 SW 50 to beg, being lot 12 and SW 10 ft of lot B, Bella Vista Park, E. Okd; SE 11th av 115 NE E-26th st NW 155 SE 100 SW 185 NW 100 to beg, blk 128, Clinton, E Okd; $60. Writ issued from Justices Court, Okd.

HOMESTEADS.

Anton Christensen, declaration, lot 6 blk F, Crystal Spring tract, Bkly; $1600.

Modesta Pedrazzini, wife of Peter, declaration, lots 61 and 62 and NE 5 ft lot 60, corrected map Electric Heights tract, Bklyn; $2,000.

ATTACHMENTS.

John Levy vs. W. H. Frost, lot 4 blk E, map of Peralta Heights, E Okd; $500. Writ issued from Superior Court Alameda county.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

H Hobson vs. P. J. Keller, papers on appeal from Justices Court, Okd Tp, goods, $12; O. G Heaton for pltff and P. J. Keller for defdt.

Estate H. W. Marston, by admr., vs. Harriet A. Marston et al.; accounting; Fox & Gray.

Meda Allin vs. Wm. E. Allin; divorce; H. D. Talcott.

W. F. Kroll vs. J. Glaser, to quiet title to S line county road Oakland to San Leandro, 75 E Bassett st E 50 x S 115, pcn lots 5 and 6 blk 774, Levy tract, Bklyn Tp; Fred L. Hutton.

Anna P. Caruth vs. Chas. C. Caruth; divorce; Cannon and Freeman.

Jas. B. Merritt vs. Theodore A. Bell et al; services $2,600; E. C Robinson.

The Union National Bank vs. F. W. Braun & Co., note, $500; A. A. Moore.

st 177-6 N Central at N 40 x W 100 blk Attachment.

Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Augustin Bernal et al, as in Lis Pendens, $10 000; John Yule.

H. Hobson vs. W. W. Butler et al; services, $381; O. G. Heaton.

Mamie C. Bacon vs. Bacon Land and Loan Co. et al.; as in lis pendens; J. J. Scrivner.

O. H. Burnham et al vs. Fireman's Fund Ins. Co., of dismissal.

J. J. Donovan et al. vs. D. Lambert; same.

W. H. Pennie vs. same; same.

J. E. Morris et al. vs. C. L. Maxwell; same

SHERIFF'S SALES

J. J Rauer vs. P. A Dean, W Willow st 177-6 N Central av N 40 x W 100 blk S, lands adjcent to Encinal. Ala, lot 15 blk C, Bellevue tract, Ala. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

COMMISSIONER'S SALES.

Mary J. Foster vs Ida E. Nichols et al, 15 acres beg in center S bnd creek at NW cor 11.48 acre tract of Mary J. Lovell by deed of June 27, 1884, th NW 2.07 chs NE 1.59 chs NE 4.87 chs NE 15.35 chs SE 6.82 chs SW .39 chs SW 1.79 chs SW 1.15 chs NW 2.39 chs SW 1.71 chs SW 1.58 chs SW 1.35 chs SW 3.10 chs SW 2.73 chs SW 5.64 chs to beg, ptn NW ¼ Sec 9 Tp 4 S R 1 W, with exception. Murray Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Lydia M. Francis vs. Harry L. and Mary E. Miller et al. N Johnson av 150 W Court st W 50 x N 150, ptn Johnson tract, Ala At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Pacific Surety Co. vs. Daniel S. Davis, NW 1st and Webster N 25 x W 75 blk 8 Okd At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

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LEGAL.

EXECUTORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, Department No. 4 thereof, duly given and made on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, in the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, we, the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, will sell, at private sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on and after the 23d day of August, 1897, all the right, title and interest and estate of said Phillip Boogar, deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Phillip Boogar at the time of his death, of, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

First—Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Franklin street distant thereon fifty (50) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Eighth and Franklin streets; and running thence southerly along the said easterly line of Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet; and running thence at right angles easterly seventy-five (75) feet; running thence northerly and parallel with Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet, and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning. Being lots numbered 4, 5 and 6 in block 78, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Second—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second street and the easterly line of Poplar street; and running thence easterly along said northerly line of Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet to the westerly line of Union street; thence at right angles northerly along said westerly line of Union street one hundred and twenty-three and one-half (123½) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Poplar street forty (40) feet, thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the easterly line of Poplar street; thence at right angles southerly along the easterly line of Poplar street two hundred and sixty-three and one-half (263½) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of block 69, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Third—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point of intersection of the easterly line of Franklin street with the southerly line of Eighth street, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of Franklin street fifty (50) feet; running thence easterly seventy-five (75) feet; thence northerly fifty (50) feet; and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the point of commencement. The said last above described real estate will be sold subject to an order of the said Superior Court given and made on April 29th, 1897, in the matter of said estate, and by which order of Court the said last above described real estate was set apart to the surviving widow of the said deceased for and during her natural life.

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Cash in gold coin of the United States (10) per cent of the amount bid payable at the time of sale and the balance thereof upon confirmation by the above entitled Court.

Said real property will be sold, either as a whole or in subdivisions.

All bids or offers for said property, or any portion thereof, must be in writing, and will be received and may be left at the law office of P. F. Benson, room 20, 7th floor, Mills building San Francisco, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of any sale.

Dated July 13th, 1897.

P. F. BENSON and
E. M. PATERSON,
Executors of the last will and testament of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Travis deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John Travis, deceased, and for the issuance to Martha Travis of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 16th day of August, A. D., 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated August 3d 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
J. E. McELROY ESQ.
Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SUNOL LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business San Francisco, California, location of works, Sunol, Alameda county, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on Thursday, the 15th day of July, 1897, an assessment (No. 18) of one dollar ($1) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, No. 240 Second street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 24th day of August, 1897, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 18th day of September, 1897, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

C. B. STONE, Secretary.

Office—No. 240 Second street, San Francisco, California.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Elijah Hook, sometimes called E. Hook, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the administratrix of the estate of Elijah Hook, sometimes called E. Hook, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at number 411 Twelfth street, Oakland, California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

Dated at Oakland July 27th.

NANNIE P. HOOK,
Administratrix of the estate of Elijah Hook, sometimes called E. Hook, deceased.

BENJAMIN HEALEY,
Attorney for Administratrix.

LEGAL.

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Elizabeth Severance, Harriet La Vaughn Severance and Helen Severance, Minors.

Helen H. Severance, guardian of the persons and estates of Elizabeth Severance, Harriet La Vaughn Severance, and Helen Severance, minors, having filed herein a duly verified petition praying for an order of this Court authorizing, empowering and directing said guardian to borrow the sum of four thousand dollars or such lesser sum as the Court may deem necessary wherewith to pay the charges of administration of the said estates and for the purpose of securing the payment of said loan, as said guardian to make, execute and deliver to the lender of said sum of money her promissory note therefor in manner and form as the Court may direct, and as security therefor to mortgage to the lender of said sum of money the following real property of said minors, to-wit: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Santa Clara, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a post marked "H 3 & H 4" on the east line of the Pala Rancho, said post being S 49 deg 30 min. E 57.56 chains from a redwood stake being the NW corner of the Higuera Tract; thence N 39 deg. 30 min. E 20.25 chains to a stake in corner of fence thence S 48 deg 57 min. W 6.23½ chains to a 3"x3" redwood monument marked "S 1," and thence N 39 deg. 30 min. E parallel and 10 feet southerly from the NW line of the Martina Higuera Tract distant 21.20 chains to monument "S 2," thence S 49 deg. 30 min. E 19 147-1000 chains to a 3"x3" redwood monument, thence S 39 deg 30 min W 4. 365-1000 chains to monument "H 4 & H 5" in the east line of the Pala Rancho; thence N 49 deg. 30 min. W 19.51 chains to place of beginning, containing eighty acres, being a part of lot number 5 of the Higuera partition in accordance with map filed in the case of Higuera vs. Higuera, case No. 9017, in the Superior Court of the County of Santa Clara, State of California; magnetic variation 16 deg 30 min E courses true.

Also all of lot 4 of the partition of the Higuera Rancho so-called, and shown by the final decree in the suit of David Higuera et al. vs Pedro Higuera et al., No. 9017, brought in the Superior Court of said County of Santa Clara, a certified copy of which decree is of record in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Santa Clara in the records thereof, in Book V of Miscellaneous page 225, to which said record and decree reference is hereby made for more particular description.

It is hereby ordered, that all persons interested in the said estates of said minors appear before the Court at its Court room in department No. four thereof, in the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, on the 30th day of August, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the said prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and the aforesaid real property or some part thereof mortgaged to secure a loan to said minors of the sum of $1,000 or such lesser amount as to the Court shall seem meet, wherewith to pay the charges of administration of the said estates of said minors.

For all further particulars of said petition you are here by referred to the petition now on file herein.

Done in open Court this 22d day of July, 1897.

JOHN ELLSWORTH, Judge.

ATHOL AVENUE OPENING.

NOTICE OF SALE.

DELINQUENT LIST.

Office of Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, California, July 26th, 1897.

Public notice is hereby given that a certain list has been prepared by the assessor of the said city and county of Oakland, and delivered to the undersigned, the Superintendent of Streets of the said City of Oakland, for the collection of the assessments contained in the Resolution of Intention of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Oakland, adopted by the City Council of said city at a meeting thereof held on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1897.

Now, therefore, I, M. K. Miller, Superintendent of Streets of the said City of Oakland, will on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, A. D. 1897, at the hour of 12 o'clock M., at my office being in the City Hall of said city, commence to sell said property at public auction and the assessments against it, together with the costs of advertising at the rate of sixty cents per each lot, piece or parcel of land separately described and advertised for sale, and percentages etc., to, and that I will continue such sale until the whole property set forth hereinafter, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be sold, and that I will sell the smallest quantity of each lot, piece or parcel of said property that will be taken by any person for the amount of the assessments, percentages and said costs of advertising remaining due and unpaid thereon, together with the sum of fifty cents provided by law for the certificate of sale.

NOTICE: The numbers in the first column denote the several lots, pieces or parcels of land described by the corresponding numbers upon that certain plat entitled "Map Showing the Land to be Taken for the Opening and Widening of Athol Avenue from the Eastern line of Newton Avenue to the Northwestern Line of Watson Avenue, and the Lands to be Assessed for said Improvement," filed on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1897, in the office of the Recorder of said County of Alameda,

SPORTING NEWS

Numbers of Interesting Events Scheduled for the Future.

ACME AND RELIANCE BOXING.

Good Sport Promised Soon at Both of the Clubs.

CITY AND COUNTY BASEBALL.

Interest in the Forthcoming Game Is on the Increase.

Sports are booming at present and baseball is the all-absorbing topic.

Intense interest is being felt in the forthcoming contest between representatives of the city and county governments.

The Reliance Club team's performance last Saturday and Sunday are being thoroughly discussed and interest in this week's games is tremendous.

Both the Acme and Reliance Clubs will soon give entertainments which are sure to be successful.

THE UMPIRE.

It is certainly encouraging to see the interest which is being shown in amateur athletics nowadays and the managers of the Acme and Reliance Clubs will find that they are making no mistakes in arranging for farther gentlemen's and ladies' nights.

The past has amply proven that nothing can evoke greater interest in club affairs than frequent events of this kind.

Baseball is also responsible for much of the interest shown in club work and the recent performances of the Reliance nine has done much to revive enthusiasm in every branch of amateur sport.

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Considerable has been said about the baseball game between representatives of the city and county governments, which is to be played in Alameda Saturday.

There has been no end of fun poked at those who are to be on the diamond and all sorts of laughable jokes have been cracked but the umpire of the players, but those who intend to see a game of ball between a lot of practiced are apt to come home fooled Saturday night.

The fact is that most of the men who are to play have had more or less experience on the diamond and the game promises to be an interesting one.

The practices this week will take out a lot of the stiffness with which the men have been afflicted and before the end of the week the play is will all be in the pink of condition.

Those who attend the game with the expectation of seeing some first rate baseball will not be disappointed.

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Searchlight, owned by C. R. Crellin of Pleasant, Cal., has equaled the world's record of 2:04¼ for the mile by old pacers, now holding it jointly with Arbitro. Judge Hurd and Miss Ritchie. The record mark was placed in the first heat of the 2:10 pace of Thomas E. Keating, who drove Searchlight and won the honor of driving Arbitro to his record at Sacramento last Wednesday. Searchlight considers Searchlight two seconds faster than Arbitro. He says he could drive the colt in 2:07 or any reasonable betting course, if over five of the Race track being prepared for runners. Searchlight is by Dark Night, now owned in Germany.

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When Charley Cox, one of the Acme Club's favorite, and M. Evans of San Francisco met at the Acme Club some time ago and Evans was awarded the decision on a foul after a severe contest there was considerable talk about the fairness of the decision.

Particular was this so hard to the friends of Cox, who claim that the man had outfought Evans in every stage of the contest. Notwithstanding this the decision stood, and one day Tye announced his departure for the Acme Club and cast his lot with it.

The Reliance Club will now attempt to re-instate itself in the good graces of the gentlemen's night on September 2d.

The amateur contests at Colby Park will be afforded an opportunity of witnessing some clever boxing if the match does not fall through.

The alleged cheap has not given a fair deal at the Acme Club and he feels certain that he can prove his superiority over Egan if they ever come together again.

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The present season has great things in store in the way of football and already there is sufficient gossip on college campus and athletic club "again" to remind one that the opening of the season is not a great way off.

The Reliance Club is the only organization that will be allowed to contest with the two big universities and the members of the club will spare no effort to put a team in the field that will keep the wearers of the blue and gold and of the cardinal guessing.

This year Reliance will work with the U. C. men. Last year there was trouble between the Reliance men and Coach Butterworth of Berkeley, which resulted in Reliance going to Stanford to train. This year, however, Berkeley's principal coach, Fred Nott, is quite friendly with the Oakland boys and their old trainer, Al Lean, is now training the U. C. team. Hence there is a spirit of friendliness between the two teams which has entirely healed last year's breach.

As a result of the withdrawal of the Olympic Club from the Amateur Athletic Union, the only team left to go against the collegians is Reliance.

At Berkeley one hears little else in the sporting line. As each freshman enters college he is subjected to the usual "football scrutiny" and if he gives evidence of being able to furnish the team with "material," he is at once licensed.

Captain Ransome and Eddie Sherman have played their last with the blue and gold, but there are a number of the old players back, among them being Haskins, Hall, Simpson, Carr, Collier, Anderson, Bender and Kaarsberg.

Physical Instructor Magee will have general supervision of the club's training, but most of the work will be done by Al Lean.

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The Official Handbook of the Amateur Athletic Union has just been issued as No. 69 of Spalding's Athletic Library. It contains a list of the associations with their officers and club members, the constitution, by-laws, athletic and general rules, which have been revised so thoroughly by the A. A. U. that a copy is indispensable to every athlete. A pleasing innovation in the Handbook is the excellent half-tone portraits of the officers of the A. A. U. and allied bodies.

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The California Turf speaks editorially on the question of this season's circuit prizes as follows:

"While no definite information is at hand just at this moment, it is a known fact that both the California and Pacific Coast Jockey Clubs are now hard at work preparing announcements for a list of sweepstakes which will be richer and more plentifully than those of any past season.

"It was largely to attract attention to these announcements the handsome little phamphlet 'Racing in California' was compiled. Both associations have secured a large number of copies of the work which will be distributed in the East with the announcements of stakes to close when prepared. The object of the work is to acquaint those who have not already enjoyed a season in California with the tremendous advantages and immense pleasure to be derived by such a sojourn. It is expected that the forthcoming winter will find the rank and file, as well as the very pick of Eastern turfmen, enjoying their winter season on the Pacific Coast."

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The Reliance Club has a genius in camp—one of your regulation, twenty-four-carat kid geniuses, but an out and out bona fide genius of the old school. He is a Websterian, rhetorical, double-action genius with a penchant for flowery prose.

It is safe to say that for elegance of style and purity of diction, his equal could not be found in all California since Joaquin Miller left for the Klondyke.

Here's a right royal sample:

"Herman Tubbs has returned from Placer. When leisure permitted, the popular club man, animated by fond dreams of venison, mounted a horse and hied away to the land of promise. Imbued by a vigorous but blind enthusiasm he cut his way through the tortuous by-ways through the rugged mountains. Worn out at last by his unwavering zeal he thought to turn his face homeward, but his direction was veiled ambiguous. For fifteen weary and reproachful hours man and horse sought for the eluding rail. Success and hopeless, when lo, a propitious fate directed the wayworn arlight—Tubbs strenuously declares 'He'll never go there any more.'"

In plain English, Tubbs went deer hunting and was lost for several hours in the mountains. Upon reaching home he was so tired and disgusted that he declared he would not again go deer hunting without a guide.

Observe the rythm in the following:

"Captain Gross, Dave Williamson, Percy Deacon and Burt Burrell have returned from their camping trip to Mendocino county. With them they brought the promised stock of jerked venison. With judicious hand they portioned off the booty, giving to each of the anxious members his allotted portion. The venison is no more—the recipients smugly shake their heads and religiously mutter, when in secret session, of palatable slums. They vow 'twas surely some unoffending goat sacrificed upon their unsuspecting innocence."

Who ever heard of a Reliance man's "innocence?" Is it possible that the sarcasm is ironic?

Again:

"Cal Ewing is having his arm rubbed with catsup so that he might be in good condition for the great game between the city and county ball teams. Cal speaks highly of its power in strengthening the throwing muscles. He got the prescription from Ireland, whom, he states has used it right along."

Poor Cal! Who'd ever have thought it?

THE UMPIRE.

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RELIANCE IS BOOMING.

The Members Are Soon to See Some Fine Boxing.

Proudly and gayly did the Reliance colors flutter on high after Saturday's and Sunday's baseball victories. The confidence and strength of the Santa Cruz team was forced to low low before the irresistible prowess of the Reliance boys Saturday, and yet, be it admitted with all candor, the ocean boys made a strong, bold fight, and up to the ninth inning the outlook for the Reliance boys was swaddled in the gray, unpromising garb of uncertainty; but at that point the Reliance boys, lynx eyed as ever, discovered the ways of Daubenbis' method of twirling and once again gave proof of their iron clad invincibility. Daubenbis' method being obvious, victory was lightly wrested from the ocean boys.

In Sunday's game the Reliance men took up the thread of victory where they had left it at the close of Saturday's glorious success, and from first to finish displayed their superior ability and power.

With Milwain and Doyle, the Reliance team is in undeniable possession of the two best pitchers of the tournament. But not only are their twirling proclivities pronounced, but in rare combination with this gift they have displayed an ability for excellent batting and fielding. Out of twenty hits recorded in Sunday's game, Milwain and Doyle made eight—not in all a lugubrious display for twirlers. With McGuire on first, Stultz on second, Lance at short and Dean on third, the Reliance has an infield it might well be proud of. Stultz covers the second bag in a manner delightful to behold. As for Pop Wilson's catching, black and white are too meager and exacting for apt expression of its merits. He is one who makes himself a positive factor throughout the whole game. With an expression upon his face of wholesome determination, or in the inimitable parlance of a junior enthusiast, "Wild a never-say-die look," he enters upon the contest and from first to finish keeps the game in a state of lively effervescence.

Next Saturday and Sunday will witness a contest between the Reliance and another team of reputed giants—the Riversides. Both games will be well worth seeing, for the battling teams will strive with might and main to have victory perched high aloof upon their standards. Let the Reliance rooters attend en masse! Let them lustily proclaim the slogan which has sounded the death knell to all the teams that have as yet faced the boys of the star and the "R."

Percy Mott and Bert Elford leave this evening for the Portland, to participate in the bicycle meet of Saturday and Sunday. Duke Burns, the club's popular trainer, accompanies them. The Duke will be a big help to them, as he is one of the best stutters on the coast.

A very exciting game of hand-ball was played last night between Morey and Jim Jellett and Bert Oliver and George Mahoney. At the end of an hour's playing neither side had the better of it. A hand-ball tournament will be held shortly.

A ladies' night will be given on either the 24th or 25th of this month. Wrestling, boxing, bicycle races, specialties and music will be the features of the evening.

The club intends to make this a night long to be remembered.

Thursday evening, September 2d, is the date set for the gentlemen's night. There will be two "goes." Frank Schmer of the San Francisco Athletic Club will meet Billy De Courcey of Los Angeles. They are to weigh in at 125 pounds, and as both men are very aggressive it promises to be a battle royal. Tye will meet Egan or some other good man.

AT THE ACME.

Everything Is Flourishing at the Down-Town Club.

The next gentleman's night at the Acme Club will be held on the twenty-fifth day of August. A match has been arranged between George Simpson of the Acmes and J. Granfield of the San Francisco Athletic Club. Granfield was the winner of the recent amateur "goes" at the Olympic Club.

Simpson has been a conscientious worker in the Acme gymnasium and heretofore has appeared in many good preliminaries.

It is expected that this will be one of the cleverest boxing exhibitions seen on this side of the bay.

Members only and those who are on the complimentary list of the Club, including newspapers, and officers and directors of neighboring clubs, will receive tickets.

Charles Slamberg has joined the ranks of instructors at the Club and for the time being is taking the place of Jack Kitchen Jr. during the latter's vacation.

When Jack temporarily rested it was supposed he was taking a vacation for one, but since it has developed that the vacation was for two. There was an old band of bachelors who had procured life membership in the Club, expecting that in the comfortable club parlors they might while away the hours till there were "silver threads amongst the gold." There were Frank Leavitt, Tim Scanlan, Jimmy Wright and many others. But one anchor was left which kept the whole raft from going adrift. The old guard looked longingly at Jack. They thought the one hope was safe, and he would be content to teach the young idea how to box.

It is hard to account for the methods of Dan Cupid or in what particular part he gave Jack the knock out. Friends have suggested it was a heart blow, and the second is still taking care of him. The last of the old bachelors has become a benedict.

The juvenile class is steadily growing and Professor Leando is having a busy time with the boys. It is found quite easy to fill a class from the years of five to eighteen Wednesday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 P. M. and Saturday mornings from 10 to 12 A. M., at the rate of $1.00 per month dues. The good opportunity is not being lost sight of and possibly at the next ladies night the juveniles will be given a place on the programme.

On next Sunday there will be a five mile handicap road race over the Haywards course and the following Sunday there will be a joint run between the Trampers and Wheelmen to Mt. Tamalpais. The runs and races are expected to put the riders in good condition for the next inter-club race.

The belief that the Baker & Hamilton trophy will return to the Club at the next race for the cup is growing stronger each day and the races between now and then will establish the fact that the effort to recover it began the day it was lost and will be persevered in until the next race is over.

At the Olympic Club last Friday evening was organized the Amateur Athletic Association of the Pacific States. Judge William P. Lawlor of the Olympic Club was elected temporary president and J. P. Cook of the Acmes temporary secretary. Messrs. Taylor of the Olympic, Smith of the Fresno and Allen of the Acme Clubs were appointed a committee to draft a constitution and by-laws. The Association will meet at the rooms of the Olympic Club each Friday evening till the preliminary arrangements are completed.

Numerous inquiries are being made about the qualifications for membership in this organization.

It is to be composed of amateur athletic clubs devoted to general athletics. It will be the effort of this Association to restore the interest in general amateur athletic events which at one time existed. The first general field day will be held on the twenty-fifth day of September, 1897, on one of the athletic grounds of San Francisco, to be hereafter agreed upon. Every feature of athletic work will be presented, including the in-door as well as the out-door exercises, and it is certain that in the nature of an entertainment this will surpass any athletic exhibition ever presented in San Francisco.

With such a persistent and judicious worker as Judge Lawlor at the head of the Association, devoted as he is to seeing amateur athletics prosper, the success of the Association is assured.

The class nights at the Club are increasing in popularity and considering this is the dull period of the year, it is very flattering to have sixty men exercising in the gymnasium at one time.

Two instructors are now required in the boxing class and as the short days approach, which usually brings to the Club the largest number of members, it is more than likely that assistance will have to be given to Lean and Leando in the wrestling and tumbling classes.

The large number seeking election to the office of directors is making the vote seeker industrious. It is flattering to know that the club is in a position where there is a struggle to be one of its officers.

WORKING HARD.

Practical Training of the Men Who Play for Charity.

Saturday next will be a great day in "officialdom," for representatives of the city and county governments will at that time cross bats on the Alameda diamond.

To say that the whole city is interested in the outcome of the great game would be to term it mildly. Oakland is actually excited. Very little else is talked of on the street corners, and the admirers of each team are willing at any time to back up their opinions and the favorites with the proverbial money, chalk or marbles.

Just which team has the more admirers is rather difficult to decide but if everybody who is expressing himself freely on the subject attends the game, the Alameda baseball park will see the largest crowd that has ever assembled within its gates.

The game will be quite a society event, and it is expected that the grand stand will be filled with ladies.

The game will be played for charity, the gate receipts going to the Associated Charities. That fact alone should insure a large attendance, but it is expected that countless hundreds will attend regardless of charitable motives. Still the time honored mantle will be thrown over the affair, and some have gone so far as to say that catcher Mason of the county team will use the mantle in lieu of a chest protector.

However that may be, both teams are practicing daily for the event, and it is quite certain that the teams will be in first rate condition, both physically and mentally, when the game is called.

The city team is practicing at the St. Mary's College grounds. A player who has come quite prominently to the front in the city team is Dick Auer, whose batting qualities are phenomenal. Dick throws like a man who hasn't taken out his second papers, and he affects the style of catching commonly known as "butter-fingers," but when it comes to swatting out a three bagger without a second thought Richard is a crackerjack.

Ed Noblett, better known as the fourth member of the Board of Public Works, doesn't yet know whether he will be allowed to pitch for the city team or not, but he has not relaxed his training. Each day he and Monte Clement, who used to play with the old Greenwood & Morans, get out on the roof of the City Hall, where Morte is building a blue print room, and practice curves by the hour. It is said that Monte gets so excited that he almost forgets the trouble he is having in outsizing Chief Fair from the Fire Department.

One of the greatest enthusiasts at the ball is the Mayor, who has decided to introduce an original feature at the game. He will lead a delegation of gum girls against the spectators, and he hopes to add considerable in this way to the charity fund.

For three whole days the Mayor looked around for the necessary girls, but in all Oakland the requisite number could not be found. At last the Mayor hit upon an idea. He secured the services of Charley Cole, H. K. Snow, William Paterson, R. B. S. York and Major Tompkins, each of whom have agreed to don bloomers and peddle fruit and pink lemonade among the spectators.

Charley Gardner is going to be a howling success at short stop. He stops not grounders like a hired man, and gets them over to first in a remarkably clever manner.

Judge Allen is all right at second base. He says he could play baseball with both hands tied behind him and not half try.

Billy Hennessey at third is showing up well. He throws under hand and kicks to give force to the ball, but he can steal bases with any of them, though he is Clerk of the Police Court.

W. A. Dow holds down first base and is getting along nicely but occasionally he leaves his post to tell some bystander about the great game between the mutes and the Universitys, in which he took a prominent part.

Harry Thomas has been playing in the field, where he chucks clods at marks and warbles "My mind is on the sea, my thoughts are all of thee," but occasionally he gets under a good high fly.

Percy Jacobus at left is a success, and when a fly comes his way he pulls it down with an alacrity worthy of a messenger boy.

Down at the Court House there is less talk, but there is just as much work. Frank Jordan is the star batter, and he has made some remarkable drives. He and Supervisors Roeth and Mitchell play "one old cat" in the Supervisor chambers every afternoon.

Al Moore, who will be one of the county fiddlers, practices at home every day. He has bought a lot of maple syrup in cakes," with which he will practice till his hands become harder. When Al was small, they say, his ambition was to either become a seaman or a professional baseball player. He says both occupations still hold a fascination for him, but since the practice began he thinks he would prefer the seaman.

Steward Poole at the Receiving Hospital hasn't had much time to practice yet, but he promises to get into condition before Saturday. He has been eating onions for a week.

W. H. Church and J. Oliver are old ball players, and they are giving most of their time to coaching the others.

Cal Ewing is saving nothing and he isn't sawing wood, but there is a rumor to the effect that he will surprise everybody at the game. Cal used to play baseball before they built the Berkeley hills.

Ned Hollman, who was booked for a responsible position on the City Hall team, is something of a disappointment. He took a vacation some time ago and went to Santa Cruz. There he met a lot of society belles, who persisted in teaching Ned how to play golf. He resisted at first, but at last succumbed to their advances and now he does nothing but sit in his office and dream of Billingum.

The time was when Holland was a rattling good ball player, but now he won't even go into the field without half a dozen sticks and is ready to carry them, and the other day, when the ball was knocked into his territory and there were three men on bases Ned persisted in knocking the ball back to the home plate with one of his sticks, claiming that he could easily do it in one drive.

Harry Thomas is selling tickets for the great game. Don't forget the date, Saturday, the 14th.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

A Big Field Event Will Be Held on Admission Day.

The athletes of the Young Men's Christian Association are busy getting ready for their field day with the San Francisco association which is to be held at Berkeley September 9th. There are to be eleven events, the 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 440-yard dash, one-half mile run, mile run, 220-yard hurdle, running high jump, running broad jump, pole vault, shot put and twelve pound hammer throw.

The twelve pound hammer was substituted for the sixteen-pound on account of the former being the weight used in the pentathlon contest, and as this contest will be held in October, it will enable men to train for both events at the same time.

The 120-yard hurdle and mile walk were left out, as were the bicycle races, the track not being suitable for the latter event.

The above details were arranged last Friday afternoon at a meeting of representatives from both associations. Dr. H. L. Dietz and Captain Klarman of the track team from San Francisco, and A. F. Brock and W. E. West from Oakland.

It was further decided to give silver and aluminum medals for first and second places. These will be made immediate'y and a part placed on exhibition in the rooms of each association.

Sprinters, shot-putters and jumpers are using the association recreation court next to the building for their preliminary work, while the distance men are using the track on Market street.

At a recent meeting of the athletic committee, J. Borst was appointed committee, J. Borst was appointed captain and W. B. Wes chairman of a special committee on arrangements.

As the association across the bay has some very strong men on the track and in the field, the local athletes only expect to make a showing against them, as a result of hard and regular training.

SOME GOOD BOXING.

The St. George Club Will Give Some Fine Fights Tonight.

There will be some fine boxing at Woodward's Pavilion tonight, when Lon Agnew, the Oakland fighter and Dick Case will meet in a ten-round preliminary "go."

The main event will be twenty rounds between Tom Ball, the English heavyweight and Henry Baker of Chicago.

The lightweights, Whalen and Armstrong will fight fifteen rounds.

The betting is lively and it is expected that a large crowd of Oaklanders will witness the fights.

A Whist Tournament

J. D. Ely, Coffin, Holton and Manuel Eyre represented the Oakland Whist Club at the tournament just held in San Francisco. Portland won the tournament, the score being: Portland 5, San Francisco 4½, California 4, Oakland 3½, Trist 3.

The tournament was for the Payot trophy.

A Football Conference.

A conference between J. M. Sweetyer, manager of the Stanford football team, E. J. Brown of the U. C. team and J. C. Ewing of the Reliance team was held in the County Clerk's office yesterday to consider the outlook for arranging a schedule of games to be played between the teams during the coming season.

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HUNGER TO DECIDE

Short Rations Being Served in Some of the Striking Miner's Camps.

MANY MEN RETURN TO WORK.

Report That a Plan of Sharing Profits May Soon Be Proposed.

THE STRIKE MUST FIRST CLOSE

Operators Parting With Surplus Coal and Expect No Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 11.—The Oak Hill miners, whose wages were withheld by the De Armitt Company yesterday because they had struck, met at Newton last night and after denouncing the company's action, formally declared the strike at Oak Hill on, and decided to remain out till the district prices of 69 cents per ton is paid.

Notwithstanding this action, there were more men at work in the mine this morning than on any day since the marchers appeared in the neighborhood. At least twenty men went into the pit at 5 o'clock who were not there yesterday or the day before.

The pound parade at the camp of the strikers in Turtle Creek brought to the commissary provisions hardly enough for one meal. There are about 300 men and two bands in the camp, and after their usual morning march on the Oak Hill mine, they were served short rations. Vice-President McKay, who is in charge of the camp, said that the latter would be replenished before noon.

At Plum Creek the full quota of 285 men went in before 7 o'clock and the De Armitts are jubilant. The striking marchers watched them go in, but they still say that they will be out in a few days. At Sandy Creek there has been no change in the situation since Monday. The strikers continue their marches and about 250 men continue at work.

There is a report being discussed about the mines and on the street corners in Pittsburg that the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company has under consideration a plan that is entirely new as applied to coal mining, viz: sharing the profits annually with the miners. The plan will not be put in effect, however, until after the strike. Those claiming to have knowledge of the purposes of the company say the plan is copied after the system in force in Wanamaker's stores in Philadelphia and New York and in other large retail establishments in the East.

The division will be according to the earnings of the men. The man who digs the most coal will get the largest share. It is proposed to retain the present form of contract, binding the diggers to work for 10 cents less a ton than the miners are paid in other mines in the district, so as to enable the company to compete with other mines in the market. This plan, it is claimed, will enable the company to select their men from the best miners in the district and to encourage the building of homes by the miners near their works. There will be no change in the present system of working the mine.

T. B. De Armitt, when seen regarding the proposed plan, said he would rather not talk about it at present, as it was not fully decided upon.

Several threatening letters have been received by President DeArmitt recently, he says.

Coal is still plentiful here and prices are steady. There is a large quantity of coal in the river available for rail shipments, but much that was held for emergencies is now being sold, as it is regarded by the operators as almost certain that a break will be made by the miners at several places within the next ten days. The reason given for this view is that there is great destitution among the families in the villages surrounding the mines. The contributions from the public have been devoted largely to the feeding of the men at the camps, while the women and children in the isolated villages have been neglected.

Appeals to the officials come from the villages every day for aid for the families of men who are at the various camps. Operators think the strike will be continued at certain places as long as the contributions are so liberal. But the destitution which prevails in the villages is relied upon to induce the men to accept the offers which have been made by operators until such a rate will have been established. As high as 79 cents a ton, 10 cents more than is demanded, has been offered by some operators whose contracts specify coal of a certain grade, and which is only obtainable at fancy figures.

The meeting to be held at Irwin today is regarded as almost certain to result in the cessation of production at the mines of the Pennsylvania Gas Coal Company and Westmoreland Gas Coal Company, the Penn-Orr shaft and the small mines in that vicinity. There is talk among the leaders of a march to the mines of the Keystone Coal and Coke Company, largely owned by Congressman Geo. H. Huff of Greensburg, to get the diggers employed there out, as from the six mines operated by the company much coal coming to Pittsburg is produced. The output capacity is 6,000 tons a day and all its mines have been running full.

BOTH SIDES DECLARE THEY ARE WINNING FAST

Many Miners Go Back to Work and Are Angry at the Leaders' Recklessness.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 11.—A special from Wheeling, W. Va., says: Reports from the Kanawha valley are conflicting. The organizers claim that they have the best of it, and that the miners will all be out before Saturday. On the other hand, disinterested persons say that the Diamond, Winigrede, Big Mountain and Mount Carbon miners all went back to work this morning and in a bad humor with the organizers for making reckless promises to induce them to strike.

In this district there is no change today. Moundsville, Glendale, Boggs Run and Elm Grove are out and the strikers are working on the few men employed in the Peddling banks.

At Fairmont great preparations are making for the Gompers meeting tonight, but there is no change in the situation. The Tunnelton miners were organized last night, 120 strong.

DRIVING SHEEP FROM OREGON TO KANSAS.

An Immense Band Being Taken Across Country to Save Fares.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 11.—J. A. Knollin, a livestock commission merchant of this city has brought in Oregon 80,000 sheep which are now being driven overland to Kansas, where they will be fed next winter and marketed the following winter and spring. This immense herd has been divided into twelve bands, each of which is driven by eight men.

The sheep are allowed to graze along the roadside each day. The drivers are furnished with horses and camping outfit, and while the sheep rest at night the shepherds sleep in tents. The bands are driven about twelve miles a part and Mr. Knollin expects to reach Kansas with the sheep by October.

By driving the sheep overland instead of shipping them by rail the commission merchant will save perhaps $60,00 as the transportation charges from Oregon to Kansas amounts to $1 a head.

DUTY MUST BE PAID ON CANADIAN IMPORTS.

Important Case Decided Today in Regard to a Fortune in Diamonds.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The Attorney-General in an opinion to the Secretary of the Treasury rendered today decisions that goods and productions of a foreign country not contiguous to the United States which are regularly imported into Canada and afterwards exported to the United States are subjected to the discrimination of ten per cent provided for in section twenty-two of the new tariff act, and also that the method of conveyance whether by water, mail or otherwise, is not material.

The question whether goods transported through Canada to the United States under consular seal are subject to duty has not yet been determined. The case in point was that of ninety thousand dollars worth of diamonds, which were depalyed at one of the frontier custom houses until this question was decided. The diamonds are subject to the 10 per cent duty.

WORKING HARD FOR WEST END IMPROVEMENT

Many Important Matters Are to Be Handled by the Club.

President John Bullock of the West Oakland Improvement Club has left for the interior on a vacation and Vice President George W. Drake occupied the chair at the meeting held by the organization last evening.

The wharf matter was brought up for consideration. Mr. Colburn's proposition to extend the same from the water front at the west end out in the bay to six feet low water mark, seems to meet with general approval. In the absence of President Bullock the chair thought it advisable to lay the matter over until the return of President Bullock when a committee will then be appointed to handle the proposition.

Regarding the extension of Chase street from Wood street to the bay, Councilman James Henneberry passed over to the Club the searcher's report, which shows that the property in question is owned by Ida H. Gerrill, Quincy A. Chase, the Northern Railway Company and Mary Stevens.

A committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Hollywood, Colburn and Stanley, was appointed to draw up a map of the assessment district and report at a later date.

There was no report on the Seventh street redressing matter as only one of the committee was present and further time was granted that body.

The matter of opening several streets at the west end was talked over, but for the present nothing definite was decided on.

There is no desire on the part of the club to work a hardship on property owners and the matter was gone over very considerately.

Woman's Exchange.

The Directors of the Woman's Exchange will hold a special meeting next Wednesday at the Exchange rooms, 507 Twelfth street. A consignment of Spanish drawn work is expected at the Exchange soon.

Death of C. S. Frost.

Charles S. Frost, a native of Maine, aged sixty-eight years, died at his home, 1523 Eighth avenue yesterday. He had resided in Oakland for fifteen years.

MOTHER AND SONS BURNED TO DEATH.

Her Husband Ran Out and Could Not Get Back Into the Building

It Is Feared the Fearful Shock Will Rob Him of His Reason.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ARLINGTON, Or., Aug. 11.—The dwelling house of C. A. Shurte burned about midnight and Mrs. Shurte and her two sons perished.

They were overcome by smoke, and when taken out all were dead.

Shurte was awakened by fire in the sitting room, just below his bedroom, and ran down stairs immediately.

He found the flames spreading so rapidly as to cut off his return to the upper story. Heroic efforts were made to save his wife and children, but to no purpose.

Miss France, who was sleeping in the second story, jumped from a window and escaped.

There is great fear that Shurte will lose his reason. It is not known how the fire started.

WHEAT CONTINUES TO ASCEND IN PRICE

Heavy Import Inquiry and Good Traffic Reports Are the Reasons.

Today's Quotations of the Markets From All Commercial Centers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The opening of the stock market was strong, grangers and international stocks leading the advance, the latter in sympathy with improved prices in London. St. Paul, Burlington, Louisville and Northern Pacific rose 1 to 11-8, Western Union 11-4 and Manhattan 1½. The industrials were comparatively inactive but showed improvement. Gains of three quarters were frequent throughout the list. The stock market soon developed a more buoyant tone which extended to all classes of securities. The low priced stocks were in considerable demand and fluctuated widely.

Sugar bounded up a point on the announcement of an advance in refined grades of staple.

There was no cessation of the bull speculation during the forenoon and purchases were made with greater confidence than for some time. The sustained upward movement in wheat, coupled with the heavy import inquiry and the favorable traffic statements being rendered, invited aggressive action by the leading bulls. Various groups of stocks were taken in hand and improved substantially, the inactive Southwesterns looming up into prominence. Near mid-day there were some recession on profit taking.

The bond market continued strong on moderate dealings.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—There was a recovery of one eighth of a cent per ounce in the price of bar silver today as compared with yesterday's price, the quotation being 55½. Mexican dollars, 42¼.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Close: Wheat, August, 82; September, 81½.

Corn, August, 27; September, 27½.

Oats, August, 16⅝; September, 17⅛@⅜.

Wheat cash No. 2 red, 82@85; No. 3 red, 78@82; No. 2 spring 81@83; No. 3 spring, 76@80; No. 2 hard winter, 81@83; No. 3 hard winter, 79@81.

Corn, No. 2, 26⅝@⅞; No. 3, 26.

Oats, No. 2, 17⅛@¼; No. 3, 15@19.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Noon: Money on call nominally 1@1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3⅜@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at $4.85 ¾@$4.86 for demand and at $4.84@¼ for sixty days; posted rates, $4.84½@-$4.86½ and$4.86½@$4.87; commercial bills $4.83. Silver certificates 56@57. Bar silver, 55½. Mexican dollars, 43¾.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—Wheat quiet; December, $1.49⅞ bid; May $1.50. Barley quiet; December, 94.

CRIMINAL CASES.

A Number of Them Brought to Judge Ogden's Attention Today.

Several criminal cases were brought up for arraignment in Judge Ogden's Court today.

The case of Thomas F. Agnew was continued at the request of the District Attorney for a week.

The same disposition was made of the case of libel against Gavin Dhu High.

The case of Charles Coly was dropped from the calendar to be restored if it be deemed advisable.

John Hanscom pleaded not guilty to criminal libel and his trial was set for October 5th. Hanscom is the editor of the Berkeley Gazette.

Mrs. Clara McLellan pleaded not guilty to the charge of burglary and her trial was set for September 1st.

F. C. Perce's case was continued till tomorrow.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The grouping together under one roof of the shop windows of Oakland, even though such a collection be termed an exposition, is not calculated to draw dollars from the residents of the other cities and towns of the county. This the Oakland Exposition management have discovered—at a cost of $1,-100.—Berkeley Advocate.

An Infant Dead.

Elizabeth, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dean, died at 838 Oak street yesterday.

HOMEOPATHS ASK FOR RECOGNITION.

Their Applications Vigorously Opposed by the Regular Physicians.

Many Prominent Names Are Signed to a Petition Asking for Affiliation.

The old war between the two schools of medicine has broken out afresh, and the homeopaths are now anxious to be affiliated with the University.

Dr. G. H. Martin of the Hahnemann Medical College presented his case to the Regents yesterday, and a wordy war followed. To show the progress of the homeopathic school, the following influential names were signed to the petition: Justice W. C. Van Fleet, Justice W. C. Garoutte, Judge E. A. Belcher, P. W. Ames, Philip Galpin, Barclay Henley, Louis Sloss, P. L. Lilienthal, Isaac Requa, Horace Davis and Irving M. Scott.

Dr. George H. Martin of the Hahnemann Medical College Fraternity took the floor first. He first made a review of the rise of homeopathy, and commented on its rapid growth in this country, where at present three State Universities, namely those of Michigan, Minnesota and Iowa, had affiliated with the homeopaths, and two others now have the matter under consideration. In the United States there are 15,000 homeopathic practitioners, against about 100,000 allopathic. There are also nineteen homeopathic colleges, with about 2,000 students. With this representation of taxpayers, Dr. Martin thought the homeopaths were certainly entitled to affiliation with the State Universities.

The alumni of the University of California Medical College presented the following:

"We claim, as alumni of the medical department of the University of California, that we have, by payment of our fees and the pursuance of the curriculum, earned our diplomas with a jealous care, and strive by our personal conduct to preserve them untarnished. Should our alma mater be tainted with homeopathy, our standing as alumni will be lowered, our degrees will be debased and degraded and we can never again refer to this alma mater with reverence and respect. We call to your attention that with one unfortunate exception no reputable medical college of the United States has contracted such an alliance."

After hearing both sides, the matter was deferred to the next meeting, when a decisive vote will be taken.

DEATH OF A PETALUMA BANKER IN HIS BATH.

R. H. Atwater Stricken With Apoplexy While at Skaggs' Springs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Aug. 11.—The remains of R. H. Atwater, a prominent banker of Petaluma were taken through here this morning on their way to Petaluma. Atwater died suddenly at Skaggs Springs last evening. He was enjoying his usual health, and about 4 o'clock went into the bathroom. A few moments later his heavy breathing was heard by a person in the next room.

An attendant broke open the door and found Atwater on the floor in an unconscious condition. He was taken to a cottage near by and medical aid summoned, but died about 7 o'clock. Coroner Young held an inquest last night, the verdict of the jury being that Atwater's death was caused by apoplexy. He was 58 years old and for the past thirty years had been connected with the Wickersham Banking Company of Petaluma. He leaves one son, Frank Atwater, a Petaluma merchant.

A LADY'S ASSAILANT CAPTURED BY A MOB.

North Carolina's Governor Orders Out the Asheville Infantry.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 11.—A mob stormed the county jail last night to get Bob Brachette, the negro assailant of Miss Henderson. The negro had been spirited away by deputies. The mob battered down the door liberating other prisoners.

Another crowd set out in pursuit. They caught up with the officers and took the prisoner away from them. The Governor has ordered out the Asheville infantry.

A Baseball Slave.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BURLINGTON, Iowa, Aug. 11.—Pitcher Frank Kilson, of the Burlington Baseball Club, the star twirler of the Western Association has been sold to the Baltimore team. The price is understood to be $1,000. He leaves at once for Baltimore.

Lightning Strikes a Brewery.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 11.—A bolt of lightning this morning struck the brickwork of two immense batteries of boilers at the American brewery, and almost completely destroyed it. Dan Marse and Peter Maher, laborers, were badly injured.

Did you

cut out that large advertisement about the $1000 missing word contest and *Schilling's Best* tea?

You might as well have part of that $1000—the tea is at your grocer's.

Rules of contest published in large advertisement about the first and middle of each month. A26

NO ACTION TAKEN BY FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

The Resolution Removing Fair Not Yet Introduced by Clement.

Two Firemen Are Suspended for Breaking the Rules and Another In Danger.

There was a large lobby present at the meeting of the Police and Fire Commissioners this morning to see what would be done in the matter of a change of the head of the fire department.

It was expected that the change would be made today, as it was thought that Mayor Thomas and City Engineer Clement had at last agreed upon Chief Fair's successor, but the matter was not mentioned.

It was understood that the two commissioners who are in favor of deposing Fair had held a conference last evening and the lobby waited for the resolution which would politically kill the present chief.

Commissioner Clement has no hesitancy in saying that he is anxious to see a new fire chief installed and he would agree upon almost any one, but the Mayor, while he acknowledges that the change would be a good thing for the department, finds it difficult to decide upon Fair's successor.

What suits one seems not to suit the other and so Fair's tenure of office is lengthened.

Every time there was a lull in the meeting this morning it was expected that Mr. Clement would introduce the long-looked for resolution, but the lobby was disappointed.

It is said that Chief Fair will soon file charges against a member of the department, who, he claims, is responsible for the fact that the letter recently written by W. Reichhold to the chief requesting that he call at Reichhold's saloon and settle for damages done to the saloon bar, became public.

The letter alleges that the chief damaged the bar by hitting it with a nickel-in-the-slot machine, and that the chief left the saloon owing 40 cents for drinks.

A number of other matters were considered by the commissioners.

James Lamb, who owns the house rented for chemical engine No. 3, was requested to have the house painted.

Chief Fair of the fire department reported that he had suspended Wm. Hurl, extraman of truck No. 1, for not reporting on duty for seven fires in July, and that he had put on William Backus to fill the vacancy. The report was referred to the committee of the whole.

The chief also reported that he had suspended Virgil Dimmick of hose No. 1 for not obeying orders. The report was filed.

The communication of ex-City Attorney J. A. Johnson protesting against the fire bell in East Oakland was referred to the committee of the whole.

The secretary was directed to advertise a sale of the condemned horses, "Fred," "Mike and "Bill," for August 26th.

The meeting then adjourned.

LEGALITY OF ACTIONS.

A Question Whether Judge Allen's Court Has a Legal Existence.

In case of a conviction, Attorney M. C. Chapman will appeal the case of John Geary, arrested for violating the plumbing regulations, on the ground that the Police Court has no legal existence, basing his argument on the recent Supreme Court decision regarding the Stockton police court.

In the latter case the court held that the Stockton police court was not a valid one because it was organized under an act which applied to cities of a special class not provided for under the general law classifying cities. Attorney Chapman maintained that the Whitney act, under which the Oakland police court is organized, also applied to a class of cities not provided for in the general law.

The only change that could result from the Supreme Court deciding against the Oakland court would be the doing away with the clerk and the prosecuting attorney.

WOMEN GAIN A POINT AT THE ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Physicians' and Surgeons' Class No Longer Refuses to Receive Them

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—The College of Physicians and Surgeons is to throw open its doors for the admission of women. This has been decided upon by the trustees of the University of Illinois after a bitter fight over the innovation on the part of the authorities of the medical school. It was made a department of the State University in April. Before it came under the jurisdiction of the University Trustees the College of Physicians and Surgeons had barred all women students.

WILL MEET TO TRY AND KILL EACH OTHER.

Prince Henry of Orleans to Meet an Italian Officer for a Duel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 11.—Prince Henry of Orleans has arrived here on his return from Abyssinia. His seconds, M. Leontiff, a Russian officer, and M. Raoul Mourichol, a traveling companion, will meet in Paris the seconds of General Albertone, the Italian officer who has challenged the Prince to fight a duel on account of the latter's aspersions upon the conduct of the Italian soldiers in Abyssinia.

Where Umpires Are Not Heroes.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 11.—Umpire Tim Hurst who threw a beer glass at the spectators during a game here last week and severely injured Fireman Carlyves was fined $100 and costs in the Police Court today.

Died at the Hospital.

Lawrence Peterson, aged twenty-seven years, died at the County Infirmary yesterday.

SECRETARY WILSON ON A SUCCESSFUL TOUR.

Studying Sugar Beet Growing and the Horse Breeding Industry.

Some Interesting Experiments to Try and Grow Grass on the Plains.

DENVER, Aug. 11.—James Wilson, Secretary of the Agricultural Department has arrived here on the tour he is making for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the conditions and necessities of the West. The cultivation of the sugar beet and the breeding of cavalry horses are the two most important matters which he will investigate.

"It is the intention of the Department of Agriculture in the matter of seed distribution," said the Secretary, "to procure seeds of rare varieties of useful plants and such as are difficult to obtain and distribute them in such parts of the country as are suitable for their growth, and are of the same soil and climatic characteristics as the countries in which these plants are indigenious. In pursuit of this idea the department now has an agent in Siberia investigating the grasses of the elevated plateaus of that region, who will secure seeds of these plants if possible and experiment with them in the arid and semi-arid regions of the West with the view or the selection of such as may prove to be advantageous for feed for the stock of our great plains."

Secretary Wilson will visit Wyoming, Utah, Idaho and Montana.

DE ARMITT IS SUED FOR DAMAGES.

The Mine Workers' President Demands Money for False Imprisonment.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 11. — National Vice-President Miller of the United Mine Workers Association entered suit today for $50,000 damages against T. B. De Armitt, superintendent of the Turtle Creek mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company for alleged malicious prosecution. In addition to serving injunctions on Miller, Mr. De Armitt had him arrested on charges of riot and unlawful assemblage which were not substantiated.

TIN PLATE NOW SHIPPED TO EUROPE.

Another New Industry Is Opened, Resulting From the Tariff

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 11.—The first tin plate manufactured in America to be sent to Europe is, according to local manufacturers, that started today by the American Plate Company of Elwood, on its way to Italy.

It was a carload consisting of 500 boxes of the most expensive tin plate made here. The company will tomorrow make similar shipment to England.

Want a Receiver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

INDIANAUOLIS, Aug. 11.—Stockholders in the Irondale Steel and Iron Company of Middletown, Ind., filed suit for a receiver in the Federal Court today. They allege that the affairs of the company are involved and that some $200,000 of assets are likely to be dissipated unless the steps prayed for are taken.

More Miners Go to Work.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BESSEMER, Mich., Aug. 11.—The Brotherton mine at Wakefield resumed operations today and will employ 200 men.

The Sunday Lake mine which works in conjunction with the Brotherton will probably resume in a few days with about the same force of men.

The President's Trip.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Notwithstanding the rainy forenoon the whole Presidential party left for Lake Placid by special train about 9 o'clock. They are expected to return about 6 o'clock this evening.

Vice-President and Mrs. Hobart, Whitelaw Reid and others are in the party.

For Mayor of New York.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Convinced that those who have been urging him to accept the candidacy for Mayor represent a majority of the Republican vote of Greater New York, Seth Low has entered the race and will assist in the canvass that is being made for him.

A New Yacht.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The rumor is revived that George L. Watson is designing a new yacht to replace the Prince of Wales' cutter Britannia.

Big Paper Mills Burned.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MANCHESTER, Conn., Aug. 11. — The Peter Adams Paper Mill in Buckland was burned this morning. Loss, $35,000.

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A FISTIC SEANCE

Populists Hammer Each Other With Chairs During a Debate.

POLICE QUELLED THE RIOT.

All Due to Witt's Desire to Talk Beyond His Time Limit.

GHOST OF SENATOR HANNA.

Thought to Be Hovering Over the Populist State Convention in Ohio.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 11.—The Populist State Convention opened today with Mr. Witt of Cleveland demanding more than five minutes to speak an charges to the effect that certain Middle-of-the-Road delegates were there in the interest of Senator Hanna to keep the convention from endorsing the State Democratic ticket. The chair refused Mr. Witt more time.

Delegates told him to sit down and finally Martin Krumm of Columbus, undertook to put him down. Mr. Witt resisted Mr. Krumm. George Riddle of Columbus seized a chair. Delegates took the chair from Riddle and pandemonium reigned.

Mr. Ecker and Mr. Krumm clinched and were fighting when Policeman Dan McMannamy separated them. Chairs were broken up in the fight. When quiet was partly restored Mr. Witt still demanded more time.

Further trouble being apparent, Mr. McMannamy telephoned headquarters and a squad of police appeared to preserve order. All the anti-fusion delegates were seated and it is probable a Populist ticket will be named.

A CHICAGO ALDERMAN TALKS OF BRIBERY.

He Will Not Tell the Name of the Briber and Is Heavily Fined.

Says He Was Offered Money to Vote for a Street Railroad Franchise.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Alderman Wm. Mangler was sentenced today by Judge Dunne to pay a fine of $1,000 and serve ninety days in the county jail for contempt of court.

Alderman Mangler a few weeks ago publicly stated that he had been approached by a prominent business man with an offer of $2,000 to vote for the General Electric Street Railway franchise ordinance. On being summoned by the grand jury to testify to the name of the alleged business man, Alderman Mangler refused, claiming that in telling his story he would incriminate himself. This led to the contempt proceedings.

The court sustained a motion of Manglers' attorney for an appeal and ruled that the Alderman could be released on bond. Bail was at once furnished in the sum of $5,000.

Some Federal Appointments.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11. — The President has designated Frank A. Vanderlip Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, to perform the duties of Register and Assistant Register of the Treasury during the absence of the Register and Assistant Register. The following appointments have been made:

Felix A. Reeve of Tennessee, Assistant Solicitor of the Treasury.

Benj. M. Chiswell, Bernard H. Camden, Harry G. Hamlet and Frederick C. Billard, Second Lieutenants in the revenue cutter service.

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG.

This subject interests young and old. To retin youth, no continued worry upon the mind. For instance in moving merchandise, nothing is more ageing than the continual worry that the express company will not be on time. To be free from this worry, call telephone No. 12, Whitney Transfer Company and they will give you prompt service.

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THE BROWN CASE WILL BE RE-OPENED.

A Review of the Past Scandal by the Bay Conference of Churches.

It was a gathering of stern-faced men who met in the First Congregational Church this afternoon and considered the appeal of Dr. C. O. Brown, the unfrocked minister of the Congregational Church. Brown's request asking for a new council to deliberate upon his case had brought together this present assemblage.

Brown had taken the bull by the horns in making the request, as there was a feeling abroad that the Bay Conference would resume the case again of its own accord.

The Bay Conference has never felt satisfied with the action of the Dubuque Conference or the Chicago association in recognizing Brown as a member. The Bay Conference still claimed him as belonging to their body and declared that he could not join any other association except by the usual way. He was in bad standing in the Bay Conference, therefore he was not able to enter another association.

Brown himself probably felt that his standing in the Chicago association was not altogether secure, and he worded a request half diplomatic, half threatening, to have his case reconsidered, claiming that while the verdict of the Conference had really cleared him, the wording of its verdict was ambiguous. He asks that the Bay Conference decide this one question, "Was the Bay Conference justified in suspending the Rev. C. O. Brown, D. D., without a trial and after a council had decided the charges against him were not sustained?"

This question was the stumbling block, as the members of the Bay Conference did not feel that Brown had cleared his character of the insinuation cast upon its morality by the Overman episode, the Mrs. Stockton French dinner proposition, etc.

Brown further asks that eleven churches take part in the council, he to name five, the Bay Conference five, and the eleventh to be selected by a committee of two men, one of whom is to be the Rev. J. T. Blanchard of Chicago, a relative and close friend of Dr. Brown.

Prior to the meeting of the Conference the committee in charge of the Brown matter held a meeting to formulate its report. The committee consists of the Rev J. A. Cruzan of the North Berkeley Congregational Church, the Rev. W. W. Scudder of the First Congregational Church, Alameda, Professor George Mooar of the Pacific Theological Seminary, and S. W. Congdon.

THE MEETING.

The exercises were opened by the calling of the gathering to order by Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean of the Pacific Theological Seminary.

There were present about fifty ladies but not quite so many clergymen.

Rev. Dr. McLean then read a few verses from the Bible and after that the hymn "O Thou Whom We Adore" was rendered.

This was followed by a hymn after which prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Willey of San Francisco.

The committee in charge of the Brown matter then entered the room.

Dr. McLean suggested that the roll be called and the names of the delegates from the various churches be handed to the clerk.

The suggestion was adopted and the delegates present were shown as follows:

San Rafael—Pastor, W. H. Atkinson, delegates, Mrs. S. Clifford, Mrs. W. H. Atkinson.

Olivet Church, San Francisco—Pastor, A. T. Shepard; delegates, Mrs. Isabella Barto, Mrs. Marguerite Osborn.

Third Church, San Francisco—Pastor absent; delegates, Jno. D. McKee, J. S. Hutchinson.

Plymouth Church, San Francisco—D. M. Gove.

Richmond Church—Pastor, P. Coonbe; delegates, H. N. Turner, Mrs. James Nicol.

Decoto—Pastor, Cas, Mrs. John W. Hayes.

Cooper Church, San Francisco—R. A. Tuttle, Mrs. R. A. Tuttle.

Bethany—Mrs. A. A. Chamberlain, William Johnston.

Sausalito—Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Smith.

Plymouth Avenue—Rev. A. O. Stevens, Mrs. W. A. Tenney, Miss Merritt.

Fourth Congregational, Oakland—Rev. O. W. Lucas, C. E. Irving.

Second Congregational, Oakland—Rev. J. W. Phillips, Miss Walcott, Miss Williams.

Mission San Jose—Rev. Henry Perks, Bethlehem—Rev. W. H. Tuhl, Miss Laura F. Knipe, Miss Penelope V. Tubb.

First Congregational, Alameda—J. H. Gender, J. E. Agar.

Scattering—Rev. F. W. Foster, C. S. Nash, Loyal L. Wirt.

The registrar explained that the meeting was not held at Mill Valley because of a misunderstanding as to the time and place.

The committee on revision of the constitution was given further time to make a report, owing to the fact that it had not been able to do any work, owing to the inattendance of the chairman.

Reports from churches were then read, the reading in each case being limited to three minutes.

Rev. Mr. Strong of Sunol said the church had received a number of new members and good work was being done by the pastor.

Mrs. Clifford of San Rafael reported in the same strain.

Mrs. Treadwell of Cooper Church, San Francisco, reported that they had no debts, a good Sunday school and the children were alive in the good work.

Mr. Mabb of Bethlehem Church said that all they wanted was a little aid from the brethren and sisters but thus far had received nothing.

Captain Turner of Richmond Church said they would like to add to building.

Park Church reported that the attendance had so increased that they were obliged to move from the basement into the auditorium. Membership was increasing.

Olivet Church reported that there was gradual increase in the Sunday school work.

Mrs. Chamberlain of Bethany Church reported that they were increasing in all departments of work and that the Christian Endeavor work was especially well in hand.

The Fourth Church said that the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor had become thoroughly united and were doing excellent service.

The Third Church of San Francisco said the church was doing very well.

Plymouth Church, San Francisco, financially was in good condition.

Rev. Dr. Willey of the First Church, San Francisco, Dr. Brown's church, said that everything that could be said of it was encouraging. He thought the present pastor was a model man, and he could speak of the thorough acceptance of the work which the pastor was doing.

Pilgrim Congregational Church of Oakland reported a good healthy physical growth in the society.

Fourth Church, Oakland reported that they prayed that God would send a good pastor to take the place of the one who had left them through death.

Plymouth Avenue Church reported that they had been blessed in a pastor who had just entered on his work.

Mr. Williams of the First Church, Oakland, reported that prosperity of the church would tend to the benefit of the community and the honor of the Lord.

A collection was then taken up and a number of silvery sounds came from the hats which were passed around.

A number of the brethren present from outside districts were invited to sit as corresponding members.

THE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The Moderator, Dr. McLean, then called for the report of the special committee on the Dubuque Association, and the report was read as follows:

"On October 29, 1896, the Bay Conference passed a series of resolutions respecting the action of the Dubuque Association in attempting to receive the Rev. C. O. Brown into membership and calling upon that body to take such action in the matter as will conserve the interests of denominational fellowship. A committee of five was then appointed to take charge of the matter and given power to proceed, even to the extent of meeting a council with the Dubuque Association or, that failing, to call an ex parte council before which to present the case of the conference.

"It was understood at the time that this committee was given powers of the utmost breadth within the limits of the resolutions and the evident intent of the conferences, the desire being that the vexed matter with which the committee was appointed to deal shall intrude as infrequently as possible upon the notice of the conference as a whole. The committee so understood its charter, and acted accordingly.

"The committee now submits the following report and is ready to submit also certain recommendations of action to be taken at the present times if the conference desires to consider such recommendations:

"Conveniently after its appointment your committee met and in accordance with its instructions, transmitted to the Dubuque association the resolutions and request of the Bay Conference in a letter.

"Having sent this communication, your committee awaited a reply. No reply came. Not even an acknowledgment of the receipt of the communication was vouchsafed. But your committee felt assured that in due time fitting notice would be taken of a document not once so formal and so fraternal as that transmitted to the Dubuque association, and therefore awaited the issue with appropriate patience.

"It was with something more than surprise, therefore, that your committee received news indirect but authentic that Dubuque Association at its next meeting following the sending of the communication from Bay Conference not only gave that communication no proper attention, but proceeded still further in the cause of antagonism toward Bay Conference by attempting to dismiss the Rev. C. O. Brown from its membership and to transfer him with what it alleged to be proper credentials to Chicago Association.

"This news reached your committee on the afternoon immediately proceeding the day appointed for the meeting of Chicago Association.

"Interpreting the will of the Bay Conference according to the resolutions that had passed the conference your committee telegraphed to the Rev. Willard Scott of Chicago and also to the Moderator of the Chicago Association protesting against the reception of the Rev. C. O. Brown, and asking an opportunity to be heard in support of the protest.

"The Chicago Association listened to this protest so far as to defer for a time, consolidation of the matter of receiving the Rev C. O. Brown, appointing a committee which in the meantime should listen to the statement of the Bay Conference and report at a special meeting. Your committee of five thereupon drew up with much labor and care a statement of the position occupied by the Bay Conference and transmitted the same to the Committee of the Chicago Association.

"Your committee took this action believing itself to be proceeding within the spirit of the charter and to be fulfilling the will of the Conference as well as discharging its own duty, in so doing.

OBLIGED TO ACT.

"It was appointed specially to deal with the matter in its Dubuque stage but as it is was the same matter changed only in respect to place and not at all in respect to principle, your committee felt not only empowered but obliged to act.

"A communication setting forth these facts was sent to the Chicago Association.

"In addition to the document as supplementary explaining and buttressing its contention, your committee sent to Chicago a lengthy and carefully drawn statement passing in a review of the case of the Rev. C. O. Brown from its inception to the date then instant.

"This presentation of the case of the Bay Conference so far influenced the committee of the Chicago Association that that committee decided to ask whether the Bay Conference would unite with the Rev. C. O. Brown in a mutual counsel before which the matter in controversy might be presented, and by which it might be adjudicated. The Rev. J. F. Blanchard was empowered to send such a telegram. The telegram as received by the Registrar of this conference read as follows:

"'Will Bay Conference unite with Brown in a council in Chicago to consider only ecclesiastical propriety of suspension on council's findings without considering question of guilt or innocence? Answer yes or no, immediately. J. F. BLANCHARD.'

"To this telegram such members of your conference as could be consulted on short notice felt it impossible to answer yes or no, for the reason that the 'question of guilt or innocence' is necessarily and inextricably involved in the other question proposed for consideration. Accordingly reply was made, 'Bay Conference always will join Brown in council on whole question of alleged unjustice. See communication to your committee.'

"The reply was thus phrased because the position of the Bay Conference had been fully and clearly defined in the communication referred to and because it seemed manifest to your committee that the only way in which a satisfactory result could be reached was by including and not excluding whatever is germane to the matter in controversy between the Rev. C. O. Brown and the conference.

"Other telegrams to the same purport were exchanged, but your committee failed to reach a mutual understanding.

"At the adjourned meeting of the Chicago association two members of this committee recommended that the association receive the Rev. C. O. Brown upon the papers from the Dubuque association while the two remaining members recommended that action be deferred and that the Rev. C. O. Brown be recommended to call a mutual council with the Bay Conference to consider the ecclesiastical propriety of trial conference suspending him in view of the findings of the San Francisco Council.

"The former recommendation carried, whereupon your committee addressed to the Chicago Association, through its Registrar, a communication. In addition to the action thus rehearsed, your committee also addressed to the Rev. Henry A. Hazen, editor of the Congregational Year Book, a communication.

"This report covers the work of your committee to the present time, save this, that a letter having been received from the Rev. C. O. Brown addressed to the conference, your committee has considered the contents of this letter and is prepared with a recommendation of action to be taken by the conference if the conference desires to listen to such recommendation. Respectfully submitted,

"J. A. CRUZAN,
"GEO. MOOAR,
"G. E. HATCH,
"S. W. CONGDON."

The report of the committee was received.

Rev. C. R. Brown of the First Church of this city moved that the conference adopt the report of the committee and approve its action.

The report was unanimously adopted.

The registrar then read a communication from Rev. C. O. Brown. This was dated Chicago, several days ago, and published in the San Francisco papers, but the registrar stated that it was through no leakage on his part. He did not know how the document had found its way into print. He had been approached by a number of newspaper men who had asked for the letter, but he had refused to deliver it to any of them.

Rev. Dr. E. S. Chapman wanted to know whether the registrar could say that the letter had not found its way into the papers from the copy of the document which he held.

The registrar said that he knew as well as he could know anything that the letter was not published from the copy which he held.

The communication was received without opposition.

The Moderator announced that the committee had recommendations to make, and the conference decided to hear them and they were read.

The first recommendation was that the request of Dr C. O. Brown for a mutual council be acceded to, and that the Bay Conference unite with him in a mutual council.

It was decided to consider the recommendations seriatim.

The question of expense was brought up.

Dr. Cruzan said that the matter of expense had been brought up in the committee, but that it was decided that it would be best not to bring the matter up in this conference.

The recommendation was adopted without opposition.

DEEP SORROW FELT IN HAVANA.

Buildings Draped in Mourning and Stores Are Closed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Aug. 10.—The official announcement of the assassination of Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish Premier, was published today in the Official Gazette and the other local newspapers. As a mark of respect for the deceased Statesman the stores are closed and the Stock Exchange and Produce Exchange have suspended business. The leading thoroughfares are being hung with black drapery.

The news of the Premier's murder was a great shock and a surprise to all classes and expressions of sorrow are everywhere to be heard. The dying exclamation of Canovas, "Long Live Spain" is the subject of considerable comment in the newspapers. They all print editorials expressing great sorrow at the death of the Spanish Minister and the great loss sustained by the Spanish nation and dwell upon the private virtues of the deceased statesman while regretting his disappearance in these critical times.

The future is referred to almost with apprehension, although the people are asked to trust in the patriotism of the Spanish statesman and in the loyalty of the Spaniards in both hemispheres in order to prevent further trouble for Spain.

The appearance of the afternoon editions of the papers of Havana with the details of the assassination was most eagerly awaited.

A SEPTEMBER FAIR.

The Ladies of St. Paul Arranging an Elaborate Autumn Fete.

The ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal Church held a mass meeting yesterday in the church in order to outline necessary arrangements for an outdoor and indoor fair. It was decided to hold the affair September 10th at the residence of Mrs. George W. Baker, corner Thirteenth and Madison streets.

The beautiful grounds will be illuminated with electric lights. There will be booths and other attractions. An excellent indoor programme will also be presented.

The affair promises to be quite an event in social circles.

The fair is to be held under the auspices of the Committee on Parish Work, the officers of which are: President, Mrs. L. L. Bromwell; secretary, Mrs. Frank Brown; treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Taft.

POLITICS DELAYS THE CONVENTION.

Affairs in Peru Are in a Very Much Mixed Condition.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LIMA, Peru, via Galveston, Texas, Aug. 10.—For political motives the opening of the Peruvian Congress, which was fixed for tomorrow, has been postponed until Thursday.

Telegraphic advices received here announce the death by drowning of the celebrated Amazonian explorer Fiscarrald.

It is reported that the government in a few days will decree the payment of custom duties on gold.

The Ladies' Home Journal
Of Philadelphia, will award
$4,500 In CASH To Bright Boys and Girls
Write for particulars to our Pacific Coast Office. The Curtis Publishing Co.,
78 Columbian Building, San Francisco

THE SLAYER OF BOOGAR MUST BE TRIED

Judge Ogden Takes a Decided Stand in the Matter.

ANOTHER CONTINUANCE ASKED

It Is Refused and Attorney Knight Is Let Out.

Judge Ogden yesterday acted in a summary manner in the case of Michael Collins charged with the murder of Philip Boogar. He refused to continue the case at the request of George A. Knight, the attorney of San Francisco, the defendant and Mrs. Boogar.

The matter came up by Colonel Garrity who said that he had affidavits from the persons in question.

The Court asked to be allowed to see the affidavits. The affidavits were handed up to him and read by his honor.

In response to question by the Court, Colonel Garrity said that he appeared for Mr. Knight.

Judge Ogden then said that he had been given to understand that no continuance in the case would be asked for. One year ago, the case had been set for trial and Mr. Knight had said then that if the case was continued to accommodate him, he would not ask for another continuance. Either Collins would be ready with his defense or he (Knight) would get some other attorney to conduct the case.

Then again when the case was set for trial, another continuance was asked for and at that time, the same promise was made that if the case should be continued no further request for a continuance would be asked. There has been, he believed, one or two other continuances previous to that. It was apparent that if he should continue the case along from time to time because Mr. Knight was engaged in other work, the case would never be tried. It was important that the case should go to trial. It was important to the State, to the people and to the defendant. The defendant was charged with the crime of murder. It was the most serious charge that could be made against a person.

IMPORTANCE OF THE CASE

Of all cases such a case should have precedence. If Mr. Collins had informed the Court that Mr. Knight could not be present to defend him, the court would have appointed an attorney to defend, but he had waited till the last moment and then asks for another continuance.

District Attorney Snook said that he had heard from Attorney Knight a week ago to the effect that he (Knight) could not be present and wanted to know what he (Snook) was going to do in the matter. The speaker had told Mr. Knight that he would have to address himself to the Court.

"That would have given the defendant a week during which he might have selected an attorney and the attorney could have had time to prepare. I can see nothing else for me to do than to go to trial. If Mr. Collins desires, I will appoint an attorney and grant the attorney till tomorrow to prepare. Do you desire me to appoint an attorney to defend you?"

The question was addressed to the defendant Collins, who advanced to the Clerks' desk and stated that he was hard of hearing.

The Judge repeated the question stating at the same time that Mr. Knight had set forth in his affidavit that he could not attend to conduct the trial for a month and that the case would have to give way so far as his engagements were concerned.

Collins said he would like to consult with Mr. Knight in the premises.

"I can't wait to suit Mr. Knight," said Judge Ogden. "The business of this court must be transacted and must be dispatched."

At the prompting of Mrs. Boogar, Collins said he would like to telephone to Mr. Knight.

The Court wanted to know how much time he would require.

Collins said he did not know.

TO APPOINT SOME OTHER PERSON.

Judge Ogden said that he would allow Mr. Collins until two o'clock this afternoon and that if Mr. Knight did not then appear he (the Court), would appoint an attorney to defend Collins and that the attorney would be required to prepare so as to go on with the case tomorrow.

The Court then took a recess.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Attorney Knight not having appeared, Judge Ogden appointed Colonel Thomas Garrity to defend Collins.

The court then adjourned till 3 o'clock to allow the bailiff to notify Colonel Garrity of the appointment.

CULMINATION OF A FEUD.

Sailors Fight a Boarding House Master and Shots Are Fired.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—The long standing feud between the members of the Sailors' Union and boarding house master John Cane came to a climax this morning when Cane was attacked by Frank Johnson, a seaman, on East street.

While the fight was in progress Captain E. W. K. Masters of the barkentine Gardiner City appeared upon the scene and went to Cane's assistance.

At that moment, however, Cane drew a pistol and fired at his assailant, but the bullet, missing its mark, struck Captain Masters in the fleshy part of the right leg, inflicting a painful wound.

DISASTEROUS FLOODS IN NEW JERSEY.

Trees Uprooted and Lighting Overturns a Car.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 10.—A terrible storm struck this city this afternoon. The rainfall was heavy and much damage was done by the cyclonic wind which accompanied it.

Trees were uprooted in some places, signs and fences carried away and trolley cars were stopped. One crowded was struck by lightning, but fortunately no one was injured.

Numerous streets were flooded.

OHIO POPULISTS PLANNING FUSION.

One Wing of the Party Wants to Join the Democrats Again.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 10.—The Populist State Convention will meet here tomorrow. The preliminary contests are now being fought. One wing favors fusion with or endorsement of the Democratic State ticket. There are contests in the delegations of eight counties.

Thomas Fitzsimmons, chairman of the State Central Committee, is leading the fusionists, and Andrew J. Orr of Cleveland the anti-fusionists. He was appointed by the Nashville conference to reorganize the party in Ohio.

The State Central Committee, which has a fusion majority, is selecting temporary officers for the convention. Tonight the fusionists will hold a meeting in the Auditorium and the anti-fusionists one at the State House.

THE REGENTS MAY HELP.

A Plan Proposed to Continue the State Printing Office.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 10.—There is some prospect of overcoming the obstacles in the way of operating the State Printing Office which have attended Governor Budd's veto of the appropriation for that institution. The plan suggested is that the Regents of the State University advance the necessary funds with which to conduct the office, in all $321,600, appropriated by the Legislature for the support of the office, which the Governor vetoed. The University perpetual endowment fund now amounts to $1,930,216, which with private donations to the amount of $835,775 gives it $2,765,021. The Regents have absolute control of the funds. Some opposition might be made by Governor Budd, as he is President of the Board of Regents.

The appropriation for the State Printing Office, and which Budd vetoed, is included in the tax levy and will have to be paid by the taxpayers, and after it has been collected it will remain tied up in the State Treasury until the next session of the Legislature at least.

SURVEYING THE PACIFIC CABLES.

British Steamers Have Completed the Line From Australia to Honolulu

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 10.—H. M. S. Algeria, one of the survey ships of Her Majesty's navy, will soon arrive here to take part in a survey for the Pacific cables. Late advices from Honolulu are to the effect that H. M. S. Penguin has completed a survey from Australia to Honolulu and Algeria and will make the survey from here to Honolulu.

It is also said that the Admiralty is about to make a survey of Clayoquot Sound and issue a new chart of that harbor. Information derived from that survey will be of benefit in determining a landing place for the cable.

NEGROES FLEEING.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CLAYTON, N. M., Aug. 10.—Notices have been conspicuously posted about town warning all negroes to leave before August 15th. Nearly all the negroes here are preparing to go away.

An American Girl to Wed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Aug. 10.—The approaching marriage is announced of Captain Arthur Hay, a brother of the Earl of Errol and a captain in the Second Battalion of the Queen's Own Cameron Highlands to Hermione, daughter of Mrs. S. C. Henley, who has large property interests at Pittsburg, Pa.

Death From an Accident.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 10.—Paul Erdmann, a teamster, died in this city this morning from injuries received yesterday afternoon in a runaway accident. Erdmann was thrown to the ground and the wagon passed over his body. Deceased was about 38 years of age. His half brother lives in or near Santa Cruz.

Fell Off a Porch.

Mrs. M. McKenna a nurse was treated for an abrasion of the back at the Receiving Hospital last night. She had fallen off a porch at 306 Seventh street, a residence where she had been nursing a sick patient.

Our White Shirt For $1.00 Beats the World! Why?

1. Because its a guaranteed linen bosom.
2. B cause it has haud-made button holes.
3. Because it has an extra ply neck band.
4. Because it has a double back and double front.
5. Because it's made in Oakland by white labor.

Per Shirt.....$1 00
Per One-half Dozen..... 5 50
Per Dozen..... 11 00

Westover's
1118, 1120, 1122, 1124 Washington St.

Good washing gives long life to clothes. The Oakland Laundry does good washing. We will tell you about our work in a few days. Watch and read.

ANCIENT VSSEELS SAIL FOR ALASKA.

Two Old Tubs Take a Crowd of Miners to the Yukon.

One Was Obtained From Russia in the Purchase of Alaska.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 10.—The steamer Eliza Anderson, an old fashioned side-wheeler, built in Portland, Oregon, in the early fifties, leaves today for Clondyke via St. Michaels, with one hundred and fifty passengers. She is a wooden vessel and for sixteen years was out of service, one year of which time she was lying at the bottom of the Sound.

The Eliza Anderson will be conveyed by the Tug Holyoke, the latter having in tow the small steamer Merwin, the schooner W. J. Bryant, and the dismantled steamer Polly, which will be used as a barge on the Yukon River, plying between Dawson City and St. Michaels.

The Merwin will also run on the Yukon. No one knows how old the Polly is. Her original name was "Politkofsky" and she was included in the purchase of Alaska by the United States from Russia in 1867.

At that time the Polly was a Russian gunboat located at Sitka. She was later sold by the United States to Port Blakely Mill Company on Puget Sound.

Up to this date nearly four thousand miners have sailed from Seattle for Yukon and about two thousand more have sailed from other points north and south.

SUSPECT THE SON-IN-LAW.

Officers Are Investigating the Murder of Capitalist Schofield.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 10.—Local officers this morning notified the sheriff of Fresno to investigate Clark Johnson's statement that he was there Friday night or early on Saturday morning, carefully. If they find this to be true they are instructed to release Johnson, but to keep him under surveillance, so that he could be had if wanted.

Johnson's sudden disappearance from here on Friday caused his arrest, as the murder of Schofield, his father-in-law, occurred that night or the next morning. So far there have been no developments in the case.

At the sheriff's office there are indications that something has been discovered, but the officers are non-committal.

Dutcher, who was rushed out of town last evening, has not been brought back. It is supposed that the officers are keeping him away from his friends in the hope that something may be learned before the young man can be posted. All the defendants will be arrigned at the same time, probably on Friday or Saturday next.

MUST FILE CERTIFICATES.

Physicians Have Been Derelict in Recording Births.

Health Officer J. P. Dunn is making a vigorous protest against physicians who fail to file birth certificates. It is estimated that not more than half the births are recorded.

Recently two rather queer certificates have been presented at the Health Office to be filed. One was that of Maria H. Lindbery who was born eight years ago and the other was that of Wa Ah Kee, a Chinaman, twenty years of age.

Although the law requires that the births shall be recorded before the fifth day of the succeeding month, City Attorney Dow has held that both certificates shall be filed.

REPUBLICANS WAKING UP.

The Republicans of Oakland have been moving about rather lively since the announcement of W. R. Davis' candidacy for Governor. Among those who have been interesting themselves in Mr. Davis' behalf are H. A. Powell, W. W. Knickerbocker and J. E. Farnum. They have been supervising a number of caucuses held of late.

Alameda's big Republican vote of 1896 will give this county a large delegation in the next Republican State Convention for the basis of State convention representation is always the party vote of the last election Alameda County gave the Republican electors last fall 13,429 votes, as against a vote for Eatee in 1894 of 8,150 and a vote for Harrison for President in 1892 of 8,792. In view of these figures Alameda's delegation to the next Republican State Convention will be one-half larger than ever before.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hill & Egan, New York stock and Chicago grain brokers, 468 Ninth street, Oakland. Telephone main 126. August 11, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat very active. Advanced 3 cents per bbu. since yesterday's close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept. Wheat	79⅝-¾	81⅝	79⅝-¾	81½
Sept. Corn	27⅜-½	27⅝	27	27½
Sept. Pork	7 70	7 77	7 65	7 75

Sept. Wheat, Puts, 79½; Sept. Wheat, Calls, 84½; Sept. Wheat, Curb, 81⅝-¾.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	145	148	145	145½
Tobacco	94½	95⅝	94	94
C. B. & Q.	95¾-99⅛	96½	95⅝	96⅜
Chicago Gas	101½	101⅝	101⅛	101⅝
E. G. Electric	37¼	37½	37	37⅛
Manhattan	105	105½	104¼	104½
Northwestern	120	120⅞	120	120⅝
Rock Island	85½	85½	85	85⅜
St. Paul	93½-¾	94¼	93½	94
Western Union	95	95⅝	92½	92⅞
Jersey Central	97½	97½	96⅝	96⅞

Discharging Coal.

The ship Mopoka is discharging a cargo of coal at the Oregon Improvement Company's wharf.

Gone to Napa.

Hulda Samuelson has been committed for insanity to Napa. The examiners were Doctors Fearn and Bradley.

BITTER FIGHT OF KENTUCKY REPUBLICANS.

Factions Are Fighting for the Selection of Court Clerk.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY SCORED.

Declared to Be Unworthy of Recognition by the Convention.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 10.—The publican State Convention for the nomination of a candidate for Appellate Court Clerk, met in Music Hall.

Under the inspiring strains of "Enquirer March," the one thousand delegates took their seats at 2 o'clock. A very fair sprinkling of colored candidates was noticeable.

Dr. W. J. Deboe, the newly elected United States Senator from Kentucky, will be their temporary chairman. George W. Denny of Kentucky will be permanent chairman.

There will be a bitter fight between the Bradley and Hunter-Todd factions, the former claiming that the State administration should be endorsed while the latter assert that a man who knifed Dr. Hunter last spring and winter before last as Governor Bradley did, is not worthy of recognition in a Republican gathering.

Governor Bradley is in this city with his friends about him. They say they will introduce a resolution endorsing Governor Bradley's administration and if it is defeated they will make it hot for the Hunter-Todd men before fall. There are evidences of a bitter and vicious fight on all sides and neither faction will ask or give quarter. All the leading Republicans in the State are on hand.

The district conventions were held this forenoon and in the Fourth, Sixth, and Tenth there were contentions. Considerable feeling was engendered each set of delegates claiming to be the properly authenticated. The Bradleyites are making a bitter war on C. E. Sapp, President McKinley's appointee for Collector of Internal Revenue in this, the Fifth District.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$583,799 78
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	116,827 01
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,161 25
Stocks, securities, etc.	52,459 37
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	8,080 15
Other real estate and mortgages owned	20,780 51
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents	282 18
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,290 54
Due from approved reserve agents	48,859 99
Checks and other cash items	212 90
Exchanges for clearing house	1,949 62
Notes of other National Banks	625 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	21 25
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie, $95,004 75; legal tender notes, $1,897	96,901 75
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)	1,550 00
Total	$986,710 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$150,000 00
Surplus fund	120,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3,551 53
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Dividends unpaid	4,178 00
Individual deposits subject to check	400,832 10
Demand certificates of deposit	130,844 30
Certified checks	12,303 75
Bills payable	120,000 00
Total	$986,710 03

State of California, county of Alameda, ss.

J. C. E. Palmer, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of August, 1897.

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WEDNESDAY.....AUGUST 11, 1897.

Doasybrook Fair will soon lose its reputation as the world's fighting center if they succeed in pulling off the programmed boxing carnivals in Nevada.

Sunday closing seems assured for Niles. The members of the Christian Endeavor appear to be imbued with fresh vigor as a result of their recent convention.

The St. Louis man who the dispatches state has been awake day and night for the past twenty-five years ought to be immediately secured for the police force.

In view of the fact that the Chinese highbinders classify their societies as tongs it looks as if their operators ought to carry hammers instead of being hatchet-men.

What a powerful agent a Board of Equalization is for decreasing the value of property—that is, from the standpoint of the owners. Hard times cannot be compared to it.

There is little or no hope now for Andre. The only possibility seems to be that he has effected a landing among some northern tribesmen and may wend his way back to civilization later.

Remarkable weather conditions should have existed yesterday judging by the following forecast that appeared in the daily announcement: "497-fl-.Fh.b ½-kee'tab)iN.a ee ssss es". This looks like a prediction of an earthquake.

The Associated Charities should be encouraged in its attempt to keep the woodyard going. It permits of the application of practical charity, for the worthy applicant for help will never refuse to perform a little labor in return for the assistance he receives.

Alameda County can well be proud of her interior town and settlements. Pleasanton furnishes a notable example with her report of a total valuation of $328,000 and a large decrease in the amount of mortgages. In addition, Pleasanton boasts of having $1,594.30 in the town treasury with not a dollar's worth of indebtedness against it.

NOTARIES AND CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS.

It will be a good thing if the fight conducted by the "Examiner" against the order made by Notary Public Lee Craig results in the matter being taken to the Supreme Court so that a thorough settlement may be made of the issue that has been raised. As it stands now there is undoubtedly some reason for the position taken by Craig otherwise he would not have assumed it. The consensus of legal and general opinion is however apparently so strongly against the proposition that a notary has the power of commitment, that the assumption is that the authority is not vested in him.

In the adverse of any direct opinion by our Supreme Court on the subject it is well to look at what has been done in other States. In the case of Abeles reported in 12 Kansas 451 the deposition of a party was to be taken before a notary public. The party attended before a notary but refused to be examined, whereupon the notary committed him to the custody of the Sheriff for contempt. He was then brought up on a habeas corpus and it was decided that the committal was legal. In commenting on the case Proffatt on notaries, the best work of the kind extant, says: "It is to be observed that the statute in Kansas does not expressly confer this power, only as it is incidental to the authority conferred on the officer to take deposition."

Proffatt also notices that the same question has come before the court on three occasions in Missouri. In ex parte McKee (18. No.. 599) it was held that a notary public being an officer authorized to take depositions, has authority to commit a witness for refusing to answer any questions other than those which it is his personal privilege to refuse to answer. In ex parte Malinkrodt (20. No. 493) it was held, however, that a notary public has no power to commit a witness for refusing to produce books and papers under a subpoena duces tecum. In a later case in the same State, ex porte Munford (57 No. 673) it was decided that in a pending suit, a notary public has power to enforce the attendance of witnesses to give their depositions and can compel them by imprisonment to answer any questions not violative of personal privilege. It must be noted though that these decisions in Missouri are based upon the express power in their statute, given to officers taking depositions.

Proffatt sums up the situation as regards California as follows: "It cannot be denied that officers who have power to issue a subpoena, for witnesses to give their deposition before them, must have, irrespective of any statutory express power, a right to enforce obedience to their subpoena, otherwise their official duties could not be properly discharged. The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure in California, give power to officers taking depositions to enforce obedience to their subpoena. In Section 2031, it is provided that depositions in the State may be taken before a Judge, or officer authorized to administer oaths; then in Section 1986, it is provided that a subpoena may issue in certain cases, one of which is to require the attendance out of court before a judge, justice, or other officer authorized to administer oaths or take testimony in any matter under the laws of the State, and such subpoena is issued by the officer before whom the attendance is required. In Section 1991, a provision is made for punishing, as for a contempt, by the officer issuing the subpoena, disobedience to the subpoena, or a refusal to be sworn or to answer as a witness, or to subscribe an affidavit or deposition when required. Therefore, as notaries are empowered to take depositions, being officers authorized to administer oaths, they can exercise the power given officers in the last section."

A different complexion is given to the subject by the Revised Statutes of Texas, Act 2243, which relates to depositions of parties to actions, and provides that if the party interrogated refuses to answer, the officer executing the commission shall certify such refusal and the interrogatory shall be taken as conferred. This, it is explained, refers only to failure to answer an interrogatory pertinent and relevant at the time when an answer is required, and is intended to apply only to the case of a deliberate refusal to answer, and if it be shown that a party declined under a mistake as to his rights, and not contumaciously, the interrogatories should not be taken as confessed, provided that at the time that he shows that he is willing to answer them.

It will be well therefore if an absolute decision on other matter is obtained from our Supreme Court. The status of affairs is that if a notary has no power to compel answers to depositions it is useless to attempt to take them in a large majority of cases, for the Supreme Court has decided that a refusal to answer the questions is not a contempt of the court proper and it is also held that there can be no contempt of a notary then everyone who is subpoenaed for the purposes of a deposition need simply attend and refuse to testify thus making the whole proceeding a farce. If it is intended to take depositions at all then the power should be vested somewhere to compel answers to the questions propounded.

As regards the power that would be vested in a notary if he had the authority to commit for contempt that has been regulated by law as follows. He does not possess the arbitrary power to compel a wintness to answer all question, howevér incompetent, irrelevant, and inadmissable, which may be asked, and a refusal to answer such questions on the part of the witness is not necessarily a contempt. A person so committed will be discharged on habeas corpus and an action for false imprisonment will be in favor of the witness against the notary. This looks equitable. Give the notary the right to insist on questions being answered and if he commits a witness for not replying to an interrogatory that is afterwards prove not to be competent, then let the notary be liable for damages. Under these conditions he would be pretty certain about the materiality of a question before he committed a witness for refusing to reply.

The assassination of Canovas has given a scare to most of the statesmen and monarchs of Europe. The hand of anarchy is ever uplifted to strike and none can guess who will be the next victim of its hatred. It is not the powerful enemies a statesman makes that he needs fear, it is the weak-brained, irresponsible creatures like Golli who think they destroy a power when they strike down an individual.

Alameda County certainly has a right to assert her claims to the head of the ticket for the next Gubernatorial campaign. It is a matter of history that her splendid Republican majority saved the State for McKinley and what is still better she contains the right kind of political timber, for no one can question that the candidates suggested here are the peers of any in the State.

Interviews with the up-country fruit-raisers show that they are thoroughly pleased with the results of the direct shipment to Oakland. As we are just as pleased at this end of the line it looks like a harmonious arrangement all around, the only exception being as regards the San Francisco commission men whose percentages have been lopped off.

Old David Smith, who started to commit suicide by jumping from the Piedmont and whose heart failed him just before he took the leap, differs only from those who have reached eternity that way, in that he regretted it before he jumped whereas the others did not do so until after they had struck the water and it was too late to retract.

The remarkable growth of the University at Berkeley is again indicated by the demand for a new class room building. The enrollment shows a total of 2211 students and the present accommodations are woefully inadequate as witness the necessity of using tents on the campus last term.

Thirty or forty years from now Alaska will be populated by a lot of old-timers who will tell how they hunted gold there in '97 or the spring of '98. It will be our California experience over again and another instance of history repeating itself.

WITH THE WAGS.

Teller—Grimshaw is the only man of my acquaintance who invariably wins in an argument with a woman.

Askins—How, in the name of wonder, does he do it?

Teller—Oh, he states his side of the case and walks off.—Puck.

An Optimistic Bookkeeper.—"My dear sir, your books are in frightful disorder. Don't you have to make up a deficit sometimes?"

"Oh, yes, sometimes. But then, sometimes there's a surplus!"—Fliegende Blaetter.

Chief of Police.—Got on the track of those thieves yet?

Detective—Can't find a clew.

Chief of Police—Then you'd better go consult with the newspaper reporters and see what they've got.—Philadelphia North American.

Philanthropist—What brought you to this place, my man?

Convict—It was all along of a fondness for books.

Philanthropist—Ah! literary character?

Convict—Pocketbooks, for instance.—Boston Transcript.

He—What is a crank?

She—Why, a person with one idea.

"Would you call me a crank?"

"Why ,no; I never gave you credit for having one idea."—Yonkers Statesman.

Glad It Showed.—"You are awfully vain over that dimple in your chin, Dollie."

"You mean thing, I won't admit anything of the kind; but I am glad that I don't happen to be the bearded lady."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Wrong Diagnosis.—Spudds—Young Harkins seems very pensive tonight. Do you suppose that he has fallen in love?

Spatts—Oh, no. He is only breaking in a pair of tight shoes.—Judge.

First Stranger—I say, that's my umbrella you have!

Second Stranger—I don't doubt it, sir—I don't doubt it. I bought it at a pawnbroker's.—London Tit-Bits.

THE LOAFER.

I hear the singing of the scythe
As through the tall green grass the blade
Flashes. I watch the motions made
By Henry's arms, brown, strong and lithe.

Across my back lot, where the weeds
And timothy have held their sway,
He courses on this summer day.
His perspiration falls in beads.

Remorselessly as Azrael
He cuts his way through that dense growth.
—Methought I heard a German oath.
A bee's nest, I suppose. Ah, well.

Henry is tall and red of face,
And broad of back and strong of limb.
How good it is to look on him
As he mows up and down the place!

It is a soothing thing to sit
Here in this porch's cooling shade
And listen to the singing blade,
And know that I've got out of it.

I love the honest workingman:
I love to watch him at his work,
And see his arms curve, swing and jerk—
And rock myself, and fan and fan.

Across my lot with giant swings
Henry goes amputating grass,
And swearing frequently, alas,
At bumble bees and such like things.

An honest man at honest toil—
What better, nobler sight could be?
It fills me with delight to see
Good Henry swing his scythe—and broil.
—Chicago Record.

MEN AND THINGS.

A business man in Richmond, Va., has attracted local attention to himself, four months after the death of his wife, by marrying the granddaughter of his brother. She is 18 and he 53 years old. He told a friend that he was lonely without his wife, whom he loved dearly, but had no idea of marrying again so soon, as he did not care to show any disrespect to her memory, but his three children, who are themselves all married, began to make objections to his taking another wife, and he just made up his mind to act promptly.

The late Sir John Skelton was noted in English letters chiefly as a student of the times of Mary Queen of Scots, and his "Impeachment of Mary Stuart," and his large historical work, "Maitland of Lethington and the Scotland of Mary Stuart," are among the most enlightening contributions to the recent literature of the subject. For nearly forty years he had written under the name of "Shirley," beginning with Fraser's and Blackwood's magazines in 1854, when he was called to the Scotch bar.

A Quarterly Review writer says he has been told by men personally acquainted with the present Sultan that he is (or used to be) a man of irreproachable morals, remarkably gentle, courteous, and amiable. A veteran French diplomatist once described Abdul Hamid to this writer as a prince whose heart was "always open to every generous sentiment." The reviewer's suggestion is, that the Sultan has been crazy and irresponsible for some time back, driven mad by the constant dread of assassination.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

White daisies with their golden centers and scarlet popples were a delightful combination for a luncheon table decoration recently. The flowers loosely arranged in cut glass vases, and little fancy grasses mingled with them, made a simple but exceedingly graceful and attractive decoration.

An old housekeeper says the cleanest and best dishwasher is a round whisk broom made of the finest and best broom corn. It is cleaned readily by holding under the spigot and running hot water through it; after which hang it in the air to be dried. This does away with the annoyance of a discolored and often musty dishcloth.

In making bags or cases for silverware an unbleached material should be employed. Sulphur is generally used in the bleaching process, and it tends to blacken and tarnish silver. Rubber in any form is another thing that should never be kept near silverware. Silverware is best wrapped in blue, white or pink tissue paper and unbleached cotton flannel bags.

One of the best cosmetics for bicycle riders or persons upon the water is fresh cucumber juice. This will aid in keeping the skin of the face soft and smooth. To extract the juice from a cucumber, first peel it, and then cut it into thick slices and press the juice out with a lemon squeezer. A simple and harmless remedy for sunburn is to bathe the face in buttermilk.

The practice of wrapping each loaf of bread in oiled papers when it is taken from the oven and sealing the knot of the string holding the paper, as is done in a few first class shops on the other side, is desirable for protecting bread when the loaf has to be handled many times in the process of delivery. The bread is protected from dust and handling as well as the possibility of bacilli, and the paper prevents the moisture in the bread from escaping and keeps the bread fresh.

HANDLING THE INSANE

District Attorney Snook Tells How It Must Be Done.

APPREHENSION OF SUSPECTS.

The Arresting Officers to Notify Medical Examiners.

WARDEN KEATING'S METHODS.

He Has Worked in Keeping With the Adviser's Views.

District Attorney Snook has handed down an opinion in response to the request of Warden of the Insane Keating, as to his duties in the matter of summoning medical examiners in cases of suspected insanity.

The opinion is as follows:

"In the matter of the procuring of medical examiners for the insane, I would advise you that section eight of article three of the act to establish a State Lunacy Commission, approved March 1, 1897, provides that the officer taking such person into custody shall immediately notify two of the medical examiners, who shall forthwith take proper measures for the determination of the insanity of such person. It is the evident intention of the entire act to give parties who are held for insanity an immediate hearing and for that purpose it is provided that the physicians or the medical examiners who are notified must forthwith take proper measures to determine the sanity of the persons detained.

"It would seem to me that if the officer making the arrest fails to perform his duty which is so apparent under the act, it would then become the duty of any of the city and county officers to see that the provisions of the act are fulfilled, and, as you are recognized under the act as an attendant upon the insane, I would suggest that you give a reasonable time for the physicians to attend the alleged insane persons, and if they do not, that you then, yourself, procure medical examiners to perform the functions required of them under the act.

"As to the other question submitted by you, that is to say, as to whether or not the person shall be discharged if the medical examiners do not sign a lunacy certificate, I would say that it is the evident intention of the act, for such to be done without application to the court, for there can be a petition filed with the commitment of a person to an insane asylum unless said petition is accompanied by a certificate of lunacy as provided by section two of article three of the act."

Speaking on the subject this morning Warden Keating said:

"This opinion of the District Attorney is on the line of action which I have all along followed and which I believed was the course to follow both by myself and the officers who arrest people for insanity. I shall forward Mr. Snook's opinion to Chief of Police Lloyd. It will show him that it becomes the duty of the arresting officers to notify medical gentlemen to conduct the examination of the suspect. It will, of course, be the duty of those notified to attend the examination forthwith.

"I shall allow a reasonable length of time to elapse in which the physicians so notified may appear. At the end of that time, if they do not appear, I shall notify physicians myself. I have no desire to act hastily or arbitrarily in this matter.

"When the matter was discussed some time ago, and the Chief of Police had something to say on it, fifteen hours had elapsed from the time the suspect was arrested before the physicians appeared to conduct the examination. That was an unusual length of time and I had called in other physicians to act."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Bishop Scanlon of Salt Lake City was yesterday the guest of Rev. Father Phillips in Berkeley.

Mrs. Olive B. Spohr of Stockton has returned from Berkeley.

Clarence Peck of Soquel has returned to Berkely to resume his studies at the University.

Mrs. G. V. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Webb of Livermore are at the Ocean House, Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Toye of Alameda have returned from a visit with Mr. Toye's brother, Captain J. Toye.

L. Reiss of this city is staying at the Sea Beach Hotel, Santa Cruz.

Judge St. Sure and G. W. Burkhardt will represent Alameda at the Y. M. I. convention.

Mrs. W. H. Bias has returned to her home in Santa Cruz, after spending a month with her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Crooks, in East Oakland.

Miss Adele Luetgen of Alameda has returned from a weeks' visit in San Leandro.

L. Swanson and George McRae of Alameda will leave for the Clondyke some time next week.

S. J. Woodward is registered at the Palace Hotel, Napa.

Miss C. E. Dower is a guest at the Napa Hotel ,Napa.

Newell M. Hayden, Miss Helen Fairchild, Mrs. Anna M. Elliott are among the guests at the Pope House, Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hickman and daughter, Miss Linnel, have returned to their home in Alameda from camping in Sunol. Miss Lottie M. Card of Fruitvale was a member of the camp.

Arthur Smith of Santa Cruz left for Berkeley yesterday.

Luke Boedefield of Colusa will enter the State University this term.

Chas. E. Hebard of Alameda is staying at the Napa Hotel, Napa.

Dr. Chappelle of Vallejo has returned from a visit in San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose.

Miss Alice Robinson of Yuba City will enter the State University this month.

W. McKay is a guest at the Yosemite House, Stockton.

Sleep

Induced by the use of coca, opiate or narcotic compounds is bad, decidedly bad. They undermine health and shatter the constitution and the patient is steadily growing into a worse condition—often resulting in the terrible slavery and misery of the cocaine and opium habit. Sleep induced by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla does not perhaps come as quickly, but it comes more surely and more permanently through nature's great restoring and rejuvenating channel—purified, vitalized and enriched blood. This feeds the nerves with life-giving energy and builds up the system and constitution from the very foundation of all health and life—the blood—pure, rich, red blood.

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COULD FIGHTING FOR MOUNTAIN TROUT.

The Millionaire Must Show Why He Claims the Speckled Beauties.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Aug. 11.—George J. Gould has begun suit against Hiram Graham and his brother, Aaron Graham for trespassing on his trouting preserves in the wilds of the Catskills. The trespass referred to was committed by the Graham brothers by fishing in Furlough lake, which is highly valued by Mr. Gould as his choicest preserve.

The defense is to be a general denial together with an allegation that Furlough lake, although the property of Mr. Gould was originally stocked with trout by the State of New York and, therefore, the right to fish in its waters belongs to the public.

The litigation is exciting a great deal of interest throughout the Catskills, as upon the outcome of this case depends the liberty of trout fishers to a certain extent at least, the liberty of those who yearly pay to fish in the streams and lakes that were originally stocked by the State, but which have since been pre-empted by private individuals and millionaires' fishing clubs. Ever since Gould has owned Furlough lake, he has been much troubled by fishermen, who, despite the many painted signs that literally cover Gould's preserves, have cared naught for the threats of the keepers employed by Mr. Gould, allowing themselves to be driven away, only to return after their vigilance had ceased.

CANADIANS SHOW A VINDICTIVE SPIRIT.

Mounted Police to Uphold the New Mining Laws of the Dominion.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TORONTO, Aug. 11.—A good deal of interest is being taken in Canada in the manner in which the American press and people receive the new mining laws passed by the government for the Clondyke district.

"It is hardly necessary," says the Toronto World, "to reply to the threats of Americans in the matter. The government of Canada has already made its reply and that reply is based on action, not on words. A large force of mounted police and two maxim guns are now on the way to the Clondyke country ,and if the miners whom the United States journals are inciting to revolt only make the attempt they will perhaps meet with a reception warmer than they anticipated.

"Surely it is time that the people of this country, and especially the party in power, begin to consider the relations of Canada with the United States from an entirely new standpoint. Hitherto, the Liberal party has regarded this people as a friendly neighbor from whom Canadians might expect fair treatment at the least, while our habit has been to yield to them over much, and rather to supplicate such treatment from them than demand it as of right."

DEMOCRATS LOOK INTO THE FUTURE.

Danforth Believes That the State of New York Is for Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Chairman Elliott Danforth of the Democratic State Committee has just returned from a trip through the counties in the interior of the State. In an interview he said:

"My judgment is that most of the counties up the State will pass resolutions re-affirming the Chicago platform.

"I cannot tell what position will be taken by the members of the committee, relative to the national platform until after I confer with my colleagues. I saw several of them while I was absent from the city and they agreed with me that no action should be taken which would imperil the chance of Democratic success in Greater New York. They believe that the fight for supremacy in this city should and will receive Democratic support and sympathy from all over the State, as without success here there is no chance for victory in the State."

HAVE DISCOVERED A LOST MINE.

An Attempt to Verify the Story of Fabulous Wealth of Old.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 11.—It is reported the famous Spanish mines, which have existed for years, largely in tradition, have been discovered. For the last two years, the Pearl Silver Mining Company has been engaged in searching for the hidden mines. At the end of a drift eleven feet from the main shaft, an opening was made into another shaft, which is said to be that operated by the Spanish pioneers in the latter part of the seventeenth century.

THE GENUINE JOHANN HOFF'S MALT EXTRACT MAKES FLESH AND BLOOD AVOID SUBSTITUTES

DELAYED IN THEIR START TO THE YUKON

The Steamer Mexico Wrecked on Her Voyage From St. Michaels.

The U. C. Track Manager Sends Word That He Will Dig for Nuggets.

The steamer Mexico, which has just carried a full load of passengers to the Clondyke, has been totally wrecked on the return voyage. Dispatches have been received stating that on the trip back from Dyea the Mexico struck Devil's Rock and sank soon after the passengers and crew had left her.

Captain Minor Goodall, one of the owners of the Mexico, who lives on Alice street, said the Mexico was built fifteen years ago and was worth $100,000. The hull was of wood and the vessel was built on San Francisco bay.

Several Oaklanders who had taken passage on the steamer Humboldt were delayed last night as the steamer did not sail. No one seemed to know the reason, and Mayor Wood of Seattle, who has charge of the expedition, said that there was no trouble and that the steamer would get away this morning. Among those that were disappointed were Dr. C. E. Posey and Walter S. Scannell of this city, who fear that the day's delay may enable somebody else to jump their prospective claims.

Theodore Barnes, the university track manager, will stay in Alaska. Barnes went to work during vacation with Football Captain Haskell in the Treadwell mines near Juneau. The football man has already returned to Berkeley, but the sprinter will stay in the north. He has got the Clondyke fever and will try to travel the short road to wealth before he finishes his college course.

J. D. McDonald and Alexander McKinsey of Alameda left yesterday for St. Michaels, Alaska. They will construct a steamer which may be taken apart and sent in sections to the island.

THE LADUE FUNERAL IN ALAMEDA.

The Murdered Young Man's Body Cremated in San Francisco.

The funeral of the late Charles Ladue, the victim of the bulet of Clara Fallmer, took place from the Armory of Company G, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Alameda, this afternoon at 1 o'clock. The remains had lain in state since this morning.

The services were attended by all the members of Company G in full dress uniform, of which the deceased had been a member.

The remains were cremated in Odd Fellows Cemetery, San Francisco.

Weather Forecast.

FORECASTS FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. AUG. 12, 1897.

Northern California: Fair tonight and Thursday, except foggy on coast tonight and partly cloudy on northern coast Thursday; fresh westerly wind on coast.

Southern California: Partly cloudy tonight, foggy on the coast, Thursday partly cloudy; fresh, generally westerly winds.

The pressure is highest this morning on the northern California coast, and lowest in Montana and in the British possessions to the northward. Another slight depression is central in Arizona.

Light rain has fallen in Western Washington. Rain has also fallen along the Mexican border in Arizona and New Mexico.

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At the meeting of the Directors of the Merchants' Exchange last night, the following members were present

Chairman Arper, Directors Sohst, Wixson, Cushing, Muhr, Farwell, Sanborn, Sinclair, Gier, Schlueter, Ried Coward ond Champlin.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary Pearce and were approved.

Mr. Cushing of the Hotel Committee said that no progress had been made in the matter.

Mr. Gier of the Tunnel Committee said that Miss Chabot had placed at the disposal of the committee the right of way through her property and that the deed had been prepared some years ago, but had never been placed on file.

County Engineer Nusbaumer had said that he would make another survey of the proposed route for the road and that he would report to the Exchange sometime this week.

The effect of the Supreme Court's decision on the Clark road law, Mr. Gier said, had not been discussed by the road committee.

Mr. Wixson of the committee to see the Street Superintendent with respect to the repairing of streets at the expense of the city reported that he and Mr. Farwell had called on Street Superintendent Miller and had talked with him on the subject.

Mr. Miller had said that the objection to the project was the fact of the city's not being able to pay for the repairs. He seemed determined, the speaker said, that the way to repair the streets was to use the present city roller when dressing was required and the expense to be borne by the property owners.

Mr. Farwell said that the Superintendent of Streets had expressed a desire to do all that he could but claimed that it would have to be done at the expense of the property owners.

Mr. Brown said that he did not think there was any way by which the city could repair the streets. The law provided that if the streets were put into a certain condition and were then accepted by the Council, the city could take care of them afterwards, as was the case on San Pablo avenue. When streets were worn out, the only way to put them in order was to pay for it. If officers of the law called on people and notified them that the streets had to be improved the people then began to kick immediately. It was unfortunate that, as soon as a man got into public office he was looked on as a scoundrel.

FIXING TELEGRAPH AVENUE.

Mr. Brown then referred to the fact that $1,100 of the city's money had gone into the repairs of Telegraph avenue.

Mr. Wixson said that he was willing to pay something to the city to help to repair Telegraph avenue, but later on he would want the city to repair his street. If the city could put $1,100 into the improvement of Telegraph avenue, the city could put $11,000 to repair Webster street.

Mr. Arper referred to the fact that there were quite a number of defects in the charter and it was advisable that the charter should be studied up and perhaps some remedies might be suggested.

Mr. Brown held that there were defects in the State law.

Mr. Arper said that if the fault lay in the State law then that should be gotten over. The business of the city was being done in a bungling manner. The question seemed to be not how to do it, but how not to do it, unless a whole army of parasites could be maintained.

Mr. Brown said that under the State law, if the city needed a sewer it could order the work to be done. He thought they ought to elect people to office who would fill the office intelligently. If a protest came in, it ought to set aside, six months.

Mr. Arper said he could not understand why any person, with any public spirit, would object to making of necessary repairs.

Mr. Brown said that the grade of Eighth street had been changed three times. It had been raised by one engineer, lowered by another and raised again by a third engineer.

Mr. Arper thought that a committee ought to be appointed with a similar committee from the Board of Trade to see what was necessary to be done to remedy the defects in the State law and the charter in order that the evils complained of might be eradicated.

SUPT. MILLER'S TALK.

Street Superintendent Miller then made his appearance. He thought that the present law was a good one. The trouble was the opposition to the law which had been shown by the people. There had been several reasons expressed for opposition to the re-macadamizing of streets.

People had advanced all kinds of ideas for opposing the repairs. It was simply the question of paying $5 for the re-dressing of every lot of twenty-five feet. He had heard, he said, that several members of the Exchange had signed some of those petitions and he would like to hear those members express the reasons which governed them in signing the documents. He had made every effort to have the public understand that the cost would be light. For the improvement of Fifteenth street and Oak street the cost was only 20 cents per front foot.

Mr. Brown asked what the improvement of Fifteenth street had cost.

Mr. Miller replied that the work had been done under private contract at the rate of 20 cents per front.

Mr. Champlin wanted to know whether the city steam roller was let out to contractors.

Mr. Miller said that the Council had decided to furnish the roller, engineer and coal as an inducement to property owners as the part of the expense of the improvement to be borne by the city.

In the matter of the acceptance of streets, continued Superintendent of Streets Miller, the policy of the city government was not to accept streets unless they were properly paved. Macadamized streets were not properly paved, especially streets on which there was heavy traffic. For that reason, in the matter of the acceptance of streets, the Council would decline to accept macadamized streets. If it should accept such streets, it would have no chance to accept better paved streets, because there would be no inducement to property owners to pave streets in a more substantial manner then.

Mr. Miller then repeated that he would like to hear from Directors Farwell and Sohst, both of whom, he understood, had signed the protest against the paving of Eighth street.

MR. SOHST'S EXPLANATION.

"My reason," said Mr. Sohst, "for signing the protest can be given in very few words. I called at the City Hall five weeks ago with a petition to have our name taken off the protest. Mr. Farwell was there and there were several other gentlemen there also. I did not know that the street was going to be redressed or remacadamized until some one came to me with a long petition for the repairing of the street from Webster street to the bridge, with the block between Franklin and Webster street left out, because, they said that it was I who got the job put up to repair the street—that I had a finger in the pie. The one block was left out. I am blamed for a great many things that I have nothing to do with. Mr. Miller might have saved himself a great deal of annoyance and the people of Oakland a great deal of trouble and also the people on Eighth street if he had come to them; to Farwell, to Mr. Senram, myself and others and called the work by its right name. I called the work by its right name, redressing such as it was done on Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Instead of that, on Eighth street, it was called remacadamizing. There is an awful difference between re-dressing and remacadamizing. 'Re-dressing,' does not sound so hard. When you come to remacadamize a street it means that the whole of it may be torn up and then the people kick and get up protests because they know nothing about it."

"I signed the protest against remacadamizing because that meant going down in the people's pocket and doing what had already been done twice."

Mr. Miller here inquired how Mr. Sohst knew that such was the case.

Mr. Sohst said that redressing meant laying something on the top, whereas re-macadamizing meant tearing up all of the roadway to do the work.

Mr. Miller said that people who thought that way ought to make inquiry before forming an opinion.

Mr. Sohst wanted to know why Miller had not gone to the people on the street and told them what was to be done. "He could," continued Mr. Sohst, "have told Mr. Farwell. He could have told Mr. Seuram, what it would have cost. Even if it had cost 50 cents per front foot, Farwell would not have signed the protest. There are some people on this street who, if the improvement cost only 10 cents per foot, would not pay for it.

"But, (addressing Mr. Miller) why didn't you come and tell the business men on the street and talk business? I mean no hard feelings. We would have understood you at once. If you had come to us and told us that the work would only cost $5 per lot we would have shaped it for you with some of the people on the street. But some people on the street would not have it done if it cost only 25 cents."

Mr. Farwell stated, by way of showing that Mr. Sohst had removed his name from the protest and that he and the speaker had gone to the city hall to take their names off the petition.

MEANING OF REDRESSING.

Mr. Miller then spoke again: "There is," he said, "no such word as 're-dressing' in the law. In drawing up the specifications we have to use the word 're-macadamizing.' Re-dressing means nothing. This was set forth plainly three times in the daily press of this city, and it was shown, too, that the cost would be not to exceed $5 per lot. As to not calling on you, how did I know what information you wanted. I could not read your mind at a distance."

Mr. Sohst said that when Miller's articles appeared in the press his name and that of Farwell had been taken off the protest.

Mr. Brown said that he would assume that re-macadamizing meant the taking up of the whole street.

Mr. Arper said that it was likely that many people had received a false impression as to the extent of the work to be done, under the proposed improvement, and that a public meeting, at which the subject of repairing the streets should be discussed, ought to be held. There were many who would not object to paying $5 or even $20 for repairs, but there would be some who would object to doing the work over again.

Mr. Sohst then said that another one of the reasons which impelled people to sign the protest was the announcement that the street railway on Eighth street would not pay for its share of the improvement, because it could not be compelled to pay, as it was in the hands of a receiver.

RAILROADS WILL PAY.

Mr. Miller said that he had the assurance of the courts that the railroad company would be compelled to do its duty. He had inquired into the status of the railroad company and had no doubt that the city had the authority to compel the company to pay for its share of the work.

Mr. Sohst then said that a majority of the property owners were now in favor of the improvement, had, in fact, removed their names from the protest.

Mr. Miller said he was not aware of the fact, but that even if it were so, it would not help the improvement along, because the moment the protest was filed the work was stopped for six months. Nothing could be done then for six months after the filing of the protest, unless another petition, signed by a majority of the property owners, should be filed in favor of the work.

It was then suggested by Mr. Cushing that as the Exchange proposed to aid the street department in getting streets repaired, it would be easier for the committee, if the superintendent would let them know where he contemplated making improvements so as to save the committeemen from running around to find out by accident where the work is to be done.

Mr. Miller said that he would put in at the next meeting of the Council requests for the redressing of Grove street from Sixteenth to San Pablo avenue; Eighteenth street from San Pablo to Grove; Eighth street from Market to Myrtle, and Lake street between Jackson and Oak.

WEBSTER STREET WORK.

Mr. Wixson then asked why the city proposed or considered the appropriation of $7,000 for the repair of Webster, when it was appropriating nothing for other streets.

Mr. Miller said that was what he would like to know.

Mr. Brown wanted to know where the law was on the subject.

Mr. Miller said that the city could, if it saw fit, appropriate all or part of the cost of the improvement of any street.

Mr. Reed said that the base of supplies was at the water front, where the wood and coal and other supplies were obtained. The matter of streets leading to that locality ought to be taken into consideration. Adams' wharf was going to have an immense traffic. It was the only one at which much business was done, and the streets leading to it ought to be improved.

Mr. Gier said that Clay street, the next coming business street, ought to be repaired. In some places now it was so rough that a vehicle could not be drawn over it without danger of breaking it. He thought the Exchange ought to go to the Council and see that th street was put in good condition.

Mr. Miller suggested that the proper thing for the Exchange to do would be to go to the property owners on the street and get them to sign a petition in favor of the work.

Mr. Wixson then referred to cases where he said work was rushed through in a peculiar manner.

Mr. Miller said that he did not think that any Council would "jam" through unnecessary work on the people. The matter stood with the people. If such a thing should be attempted, they could go to the Council fifty strong in a body and they would find out that the Council would be willing to see what the people wanted. He did not think that any Council would be so corrupt as to force on the people something which they knew the people did not want.

Mr. Sohst stated that in two years, but then these were in better times, he had paid out $1,800 for public improvements.

EFFECT OF BAD STREETS.

Mr. Miller then spoke on the injurious effect to the city which had been the result of the bad streets. There were many more houses going up in Alameda and Berkeley than there were in Oakland. A number of builders had gone elsewhere and these he attributed to the bad streets of the city.

He then touched again on the subject of paying for street work out of the city treasury, claiming that that could not be done under the present system of taxation. The people would not stand a tax levy of $2, and a great increase would have to be made to stand the expense which would be entailed. The cost of repairing Twelfth street alone would be $100,000, and of that amount only $25,000 was available and they had been two years getting that sum in the proper fund.

Mr. Wixson said that with the amount paid by private individuals for public improvements added to the amount expended by the city would make all the improvements required with an increased expenditure of not 10 per cent.

Mr. Miller said that if the Exchange would take hold of the work and aid in the repairing of streets, it would have every street in the city inside of a year in first class condition.

The remark was received with cheers by the members.

EIGHTH STREET BRIDGE.

At the last meeting it was said that 45 per cent of the lumber in the Eighth street bridge was of No. 2 quality, when the specifications called for No. 1.

Secretary Pearce had been appointed a committee to investigate the statement.

He reported that he had conversed on the subject with City Engineer Clement and that that official had said that the bridge had been accepted and that the specifications called for only good lumber, not specifying either No. 1 or No. 2.

Mr. Reed said he had no personal grievance to air in the matter, but that he had been told by the former City Engineer, Wilson, that the specifications called for No. 1 lumber and that he had since been informed that 45 per cent of the material in the structure was of No. 2 quality.

Mr. Reed and Secretary Pearce were appointed a committee to further investigate the matter.

Secretary Pearce reported according to instruction at the last meeting, that he had investigated the charge of Mr. Lenz that the Board of Public Works had furnished a contract to City Electrician Carleton for supplying the city blue stone at a figure lower than that in Lenz's bid. Secretary Pearce's report showed that the contract had not been let to Carleton, but that the city had been buying direct from the Selby Smelting Company because it could get cheaper rates there. The Selby figures with those of Lenz were compared and it was shown that there was a difference in favor of Selby as against Lenz of 43 cents in every two tons.

Mr. Sohst said that it did not seem altogether right that for the purpose of saving 43 cents, the city should purchase material in a San Francisco house and thus send money away and injure those who would spend their money at home.

At the suggestion of Chairman Arper Mr. Cushing offered a motion that hereafter private grievances of members against public officials shall be first submitted in private to the president or secretary of the Exchange, by whom they will be investigated. If it shall be discovered that there is merit in the charge, then the Exchange will be requested to discuss the subject and take action. The motion prevailed.

Secretary Pearce said he had received a suggestion from the Mayor that 100 copies of "Facts and Figures" should be sent to the Clondyke to be distributed among miners returning to this part of the country laden with gold. He offered to pay the postage on the books.

As the miners are not expected to return before they get money, it was decided to hold the books until spring, when some men may have made a pile and may be induced to come here to spend it.

The meeting then adjourned.

NO WILMERDING SCHOOL FOR OAKLAND.

The Regents Decide to Erect the Big Institution in San Francisco.

The Regents of the University decided yesterday to locate the Wilmerding school in the Potrero, South San Francisco. This effectually shuts out all chance for this city.

The history of the selection of the site for the Wilmerding school dates back to the time of the death of J. C. Wilmerding, in February, 1894, when a reading of his will revealed the fact that he had made a bequest of $400,000 to the University of California for the purpose of establishing a School of Industrial Arts, to be devoted to teaching trades and the applied sciences. Although no decision had been reached by the donor as to the site, it was generally understood that San Francisco was the place he favored.

The final negotiations for the purchase of the lot will now be rapidly pushed, and subscriptions will probably be started among some of the public-spirited citizens to raise the sum required for the lot. It is expected that work on the school will soon be commenced and a thoroughly equipped trade school be added to the educational facilities of San Francisco. The original donation of $400,000 by judicious investment has not reached $435,000, and for this a handsome showing can be made for the new school.

Elect a New Board.

At the annual meeting of the Home Security Building and Loan Association last night the following directors were elected:

C. W. Kinsey, C. E. Palmer, J. Tyrell, J. S. Burpee, W. H. Friend, M. W. Upton, J. T. Burcham, W. W. Whitman, F. A. Leach, C. K. Clark, J. B. Richardson.

After their election the directors immediately elected the following officers: President, C. E. Palmer; vice-president, W. H. Friend; secretary, C. K. Clark; attorney, J. B. Richardson.

Lived in Alameda.

Captain E. W. K. Masters who was accidentally shot by a shipping agent, John Cane, yesterday as announced in yesterday's Tribune, is an Alameda man residing at 2921 Lincoln avenue. The wound while not serious, is painful. The belligerent sailor has been arrested charged with assault to murder.

WILL MEET DR. BROWN

Bay Conference Accepts the Suspended Minister's Challenge.

THE LEGALITY OF THE ACTION.

Criticism of the Move by the Brethren of Dubuque.

THE DOCTOR UNDER SUSPICION

His Request for a Hearing May Not Be Felt at Heart.

When the Tribune's report of the Bay Conference of the Congregational Church closed yesterday afternoon, the second and third recommendations of the special committee on the action of Rev. C. O. Brown were under consideration. The conference had previously decided to meet in council with Dr. Brown on the question of the action of the Bay Conference in suspending him.

The registrar read the second recommendation:

"That the council consider these questions:

"Was the Bay Conference justified in suspending Dr. C. O. Brown?

"Was Dr. C. O. Brown justified in seeking and accepting membership in the Dubuque Conference when he was under suspension in the Bay Conference?"

Dr. C. R. Brown of the First Church of this city suggested an amendment that the words "and accepting" be stricken out.

Dr. Mooar thought that the charges of seeking and accepting membership should both go before the council.

Dr. C. R. Brown's amendment was lost.

With respect to the recommendation as regards the justification of the act of the Bay Conference in suspending Brown, Dr. Pond of San Francisco wanted to have the recommendation substituted by the following:

"Did the result of the Ecclesiastical Conference held in February, 1896, justify the Bay Conference in suspending Dr. C. O. Brown from membership?"

Dr. Pond said that it was an ecclesiastical matter which it was desired to hear and not a reopening of the old case.

Rev. Mr. Tubbs said the conference was not on trial. The recommendation was couched in dignified terms. The suspension of Dr. Brown was not on trial. It was simply to join Dr. Brown in a council.

Rev. Mr. Foster wanted to know whether Dr. Pond's substitute was intended to affect the formal point.

Dr. Pond said that was just what it was intended to do.

Rev. Mr. Foster said the council which shall meet would be prevented from taking up the guilt or innocence of Dr. Brown.

Dr. Pond said that if the merits of the case were not brought up under the reading of the recommendation he did not understand language.

Dr. Foster said that if the matter of the guilt or innocence should be brought up it would be objected to on the ground that the preceding conference had passed on the subject and the finding could not be gone into.

Dr. C. R. Brown offered a substitute for Dr. Pond's motion, which was practically the same as the recommendation of the committee.

Dr. Chapman wanted the matter so framed that Dr. Brown could not decline going into the council. The words of the committee were the words of Dr. Brown himself. The words gave the conference the right to say that it was right in suspending Brown, and gave Brown the right to say where the conference was wrong, if it was wrong.

Dr. Pond withdrew the substitute.

The question then recurred on the original proposition as to whether the conference was justified in suspending Dr. Brown, and it was adopted unanimously.

Dr. Foster moved that the recommendation as to the justification of Brown seeking and accepting membership in the Dubuque Conference while under suspension in the Bay District be adopted. He said that the conference should address itself to the associations which had accepted him while under suspension.

Dr. Cruzan said that it was simply a question of one council or two councils. He would have the matter directed against the Dubuque Council, but did they want a second council? Could they not settle the matter in one council?

Dr. C. R. Brown said that he thought they ought to meet Dr. C. O. Brown on his own words as to whether or not the Bay Conference was justified in suspending him. If the council which had received Brown at Dubuque and had then given him letters to Chicago should learn that a mutual council had decided that that suspension was just, they would not support a man who had been sentenced by another conference.

Dr. Foster said that the idea was a strange one that Dubuque and Chicago should accept a man who had been suspended by the Bay Association.

Dr. Nash favored only one inquiry.

Dr. Chapman offered the following, to be inserted in front of the recommendation as to the justness of the act of the Bay Conference in suspending Dr. Brown, "We respectfully ask that the council also consider and act upon the question."

There was some discussion as to the merits of the proposition before the matter was finally determined, and a motion to recommit the whole subject to the committee of five was voted down.

Dr. C. R. Brown offered a substitute to all the recommendations, but no action was taken upon it.

The recommendation of the committee with Dr. Chapman's prefix was then adopted.

Similar action was taken upon the recommendation of the committee questioning the justification of Dr. C. O. Brown's seeking and accepting membership in the Dubuque Conference while under suspension in the Bay Conference.

The last feature of the recommendations was appointing a committee of seven to prepare for the holding of the council and to arrange any details therefor which might be required. The recommendation was adopted.

Dr. Cruzan suggested that it might be advisable for the conference to express a wish to the committee that the proposed council should be held as near here as possible, suggesting also that Denver might be a proper place in which to meet.

It was decided to leave that matter to the discretion of the committee.

On motion of Dr. Foster, the special committee of five was given authority to act as the nucleus of the committee of seven, and to select two others in order to make the membership of the committee complete.

Dr. Mooar said that he would rather have some other person selected to act on the committee in his stead.

Dr. Chapman said that that matter could be attended to by the committee.

The committee was also empowered to fill any vacancy which might take place in its ranks.

A recess was then taken till the evening.

The Evening Session.

The Bay Conference having disposed of the black sheep of the flock, Dr. C. O. Brown at the afternoon's session, was enabled in the evening to attend to more intellectual pursuits.

An address which was programmed for the afternoon was given in the evening. L. C. McAfee, a well known busines man of San Francisco gave an interesting review of Professer H. S. Nash's 'Genesis of the Social Conscience.'. Mr. McAfee spoke of the gradual growth in the respect for the individaul, the widening from the high ideals of a particular race of mankind in general. He compared the Roman pagan of the past to the Christian of the present. The Roman believed all foreigners to be barbarians; to be creatures without refinement, without high ideals. The growth of the Roman Empire, the granting of citizens rights to the aliens slowly broadened this thought but it was not until Christianity came that the Hindoo, the Chinese or any other heathen was admitted to have a soul, to be a fellow man.

Christianity could not exist at the time of the Roman emperors easily so the would-be Christians withdrew from intercourse with the outside world and began to associate themselves in bands and monasteries.

By this means they lived a high pure life which was, however, decidedly restricted. No thought was given to the mother of the race and naturally the result of the one-sided monastic system was not altogether a success. The monasteries had their uses in broadening and deepening religious life. The Reformation came to widen the scope of humanity, to give the laymen as well as the clergy an opportunity to lead a pure and holy life.

Mr. Nash in his book travels through all space from the religion of Greece to that of France. His book is a small one and is naturally, as he says, a "railroad glimpse of the growth of the soul from the theological view. The practical outcome of the book, said Mr. McAfee, was the manner in which it impress one with the unity of God, how He worked through all things to raise man higher.

God's interest in man's salvation was the next topic discussed. The Rev. H. T. Shepard of Olivet Church, San Francisco, discussed the subject.

"Christ seeks the salvation of all men," said he. "He would have none lost and we can feel that God takes a keen interest in this. The consensus of opinion of the Christian Church is that the righteous shall live eternally and the wicked shall be punished. The weakest shall be encouraged and raised up and the poor are to be taken care of. Christ taught us that the strong should care for the weak. Sin inevitably leaves its mark on the body, so is the spirit marred by sin. Nature's laws are unavoidable. God desires to remove this sin. There is no sin or sorrow in the world to come. I believe that there will be a difference in the future benefits to be reaped by the righteous and the repentant propligate. There will be a right and left side to his throne.

"If God is supreme, will He allow any man to perish? It seems to me that the answer is to a certain extent 'yes.' He will at least offer salvation to all men. If we presume that the historic Christ must be presented to all men before they can be saved, the question becomes complex and I cannot answer. Man must be granted a freedom of choice, the power to choose between right and wrong. Does God's interest in man end with saving them or annihilating? If rewards last, so must suffering last. If a man dies with sin on his soul, he must suffer till the sin is expurgated."

The next address was by the Rev. J. R. Knodell of East Oakland and was relative to whether or not God's interest in man meant the final salvation of all men.

He said in part: "The word salvation means rescue from eternal death, and the phrase eternal death signifies either eternal destruction, or to be shut out eternally from God's presence and glory. Now the question is, does God's interest in man's rescue from eternal death mean the final rescue of all men from eternal death? There are three theories—orthodox, universal salvation and eternal destruction. God made man immortal and fit for heaven. Sin unfitted man for heaven, but left him immortal. All men have sinned, so all are unfit for heaven. Unless some remedy is found man is forever lost. God has a remedy—faith in the Lord Jesus. All three theories agree as far as this. The orthodox view continues: All who accept Christ are to have a glorious immortality. All who do not remain forever outcasts from God. God's interest saves all who are willing."

With prayer and song the Conference then adjourned.

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WEYLER IN DEFEAT

The Cuban Butcher Suffers a Reverse in Mantanzas Province.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN HAVANA.

Reinforcements Sent to the Front From the Capital.

FEAR OF GOMEZ ENTERTAINED.

Loss to the Royal Troops Is Said to Be Very Heavy.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says:

"Official information has reached Havana of a decisive battle between loyal troops and insurgents' forces in Matanzas. According to this information, the Spanish troops were routed after a hard battle with heavy losses.

"This news caused a veritable sensation in Havana as it is generally known that Captain-General Weyler is now in Matanzas and there is a belief that the Spanish troops directly under him were those which suffered defeat at the hands of the rebels. However, if this is true, the Spanish officials here are taking pains to suppress the fact. Then too, the knowledge, in some quarters, that General Gomez is due in Matanzas at about this time with a large body of insurgents added to the interest in the battle. While there is no good cause to believe that General Gomez was in the battle in question, there has, for some time been a seemingly well-founded belief in Havana that General Weyler and Gomez would meet in Matanzas.

"The Spanish loss in troops and officers was plainly greater than in any recent battle.

"The Spanish troops were compelled to give way before the rebels, leaving many dead on the field.

"There seems to be considerable concern in the palace here about the result of the battle. While the officials will not talk, the Herald correspondent has learned that detachments of Cuban cavalry have been pouring into Matanzas from Santa Clara province and according to some reports, Major-General Francisco Carillo, commander of the Fourth Army Corps and Brigadier-Generals Rego and Monteagudo are among the leaders of the invading forces. A concentration upon the Santa Clara border of all the insurgent forces in Matanzas was ordered some days ago by General Aveline Rosas, the insurgent commander of the province.

"In view of this rebel activity and the belief at the palace that General Gomez or his lieutenant Major-General Carillo would attempt a demonstration against Havana city, large reinforcements of Spanish troops have been moved to the front from Havana and Pinar del Rio Province.

"General Weyler intended to establish his headquarters in Matanzas City and then in Guines, Havana Province, in case the Cubans should succeed in pushing their way through Matanzas into Havana.

"A rumor reached this city last night that railroad traffic had been stopped on almost all the lines running through Matanzas Province.

"Excitement was added to by a later report that General Weyler had ordered the Marquis de Ahumada, the acting Governor-General to send as large a force of troops as could be spared to the vicinity to Guines, near the border of Havana and Matanzas Province. Additional artillery was shipped last night to Guines.

"The situation of General Weyler is similar to that of Martinez Campos when he tried in December 1895 to check the famous raid of Gomez and Maceo and was compelled to fall back successively at Jovanellos and Guasco and Colon before the Cubans.

"Those in a position to know hint that the chief source of anxiety in the palace is the receipt of a dispatch from Matanzas.

"The names of Weyler and several other Spanish generals as well as those of Gomez and Carrillo are often repeated in the course of the message.

"The alleged information in the dispatch, coupled with the demand for re-inforcements at Guines and the shipment there of heavy artillery leads many to believe that the Spanish troops will make a further stand at Guines.

Jose Guasp has been arrested for demanding money and threatening the life of Senor Sega, a prominent Spanish millionaire in Havana.

THE RAISE IN THE PRICE OF MEAT.

Packers Declare That It Is Caused by a Decreased Supply.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—A letter from Kansas City announced that the packers of that city had advanced the price of dressed beef 1 cent per pound and that of bacon 1½ cents per pound to their customers, and that the dealers had made plans to buy their own meats in the future. This rise is attributed to a new attempt at forming a beef trust. A reporter for the New York Times who visited the local representatives of the big Western packing houses got no confirmation of the report. The actual fact is that a higher price for beef is being obtained than a year ago, and this seems to be due to the scarcity of cattle. The fact that the prominent packing houses are all represented in the Manhattan market as competitors does not indicate a meat trust.

At the offices of the Armour Canning Company, no news of the rumored deal had been heard. It was stated, however, that certain meats had been steadily rising for the last two or three months. During that time, beef hams cut round from the steer and smoked and cured had risen from $13 to $20 a barrel to the maximum price of $27. This was attributed entirely to a shortage in supply, and no sudden forcing up of prices had been noticed.

The acting manager of Nelson Morris & Co. declared: "I can say positively that there is no combination among Western packers, nor has there been any very recent advance in the price of meats. The rise and fall by market fluctuations is like all other commodities. That is all there is in it."

CANADIAN RAILWAY MEN AND THE TARIFF.

Uncertainty as to How to Act Under the New Law.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MONTREAL, Aug. 11.—The officials of the Grand Trunk Railway system and the Canadian Pacific Railway are not disturbed by the upheaval to be caused by the enforcement of the new tariff law. Assistant General Manager Logan of the Grand Trunk Railway system, when spoken to about the matter, was quite surprised and somewhat amused when told that it had just been discovered that the new tariff would require the breaking of seals on and the inspection of all freight from foreign countries coming into the United States by either his railway or the Canadian Pacific. He said: "We have not heard anything of this. We have had no trouble thus far, and I do not expect any of our bonded cars have not gone through all right, and the matter is greatly exaggerated."

When asked if such a state of things as referred to would not cause a great loss of time and money to his road, he said:

"I have no doubt that it might inconvenience us some, but as we do not really know what is going to happen I cannot tell what we would do about it, and it is no use borrowing trouble beforehand."

At the Canadian Pacific offices at Windsor station, President Sir William Van Horne could not be seen, but his private secretary, Mr. Howard, spoke authoritatively when he announced that the officers of the company had not heard anything about the rumored change in the way of doing business.

He did not think that it amounted to anything, and had not given the slightest thought how to meet such a situation, which had never been looked forward to. He said the road had experienced no trouble thus far.

WAR IN BANKERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

The Perpetuity of the National Society Is Generally Threaten G

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The Herald says: The dignified warfare that has been going on between the American Bankers' Association and the thirty-two State Bankers' Associations throughout the country is expected to lead to the surrender of the national body at its annual meeting in Detroit next week.

The State Association men have played every card in a very shrewd game with their most distinguished brethren. They threatened to organize a rival National Bankers' Association which bid fair to outstrip the older organization in numbers. That the national body did not care to give a trial of strength was clear from a report just submitted to the executive council. It proposes an amendment to the constitution so as to give the State bodies a larger representation by providing that they shall elect fifteen out of thirty members of the executive council.

The adoption of this report, which, it is said, is a foregone conclusion, at next week's meeting, will at the end of two years give the control of the American Bankers' Association to the thirty-two State Associations, for, after electing one-half of the executive council, they will be allowed to turn in and help to elect the other half.

WANTS APPLETON TO BE SET FREE.

An American Said to Be Held Without Trial by Portuguese.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The State Department has instructed United States Consular Agent Guilares at St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, to request of the Portuguese Government the release of Samuel E. Appliston, an American citizen, who is being held there without trial and without prospect of one, because he tried to aid a friend whom he believed to be unjustly confined. The Consular Agent at St. Vincent is a native and has been charged with unfriendliness toward Americans there.

McCoy Wants a Rake-off.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 11.—Kid McCoy, the pugilist, left here last night for a visit to his home at Middletown, Ohio. When McCoy was shown William A. Brady's telegram from New York to the Enquirer announcing that Creedon had signed, he said he would sign also on the condition, however, that if the vitascopic pictures were taken he would be given a share of the revenue therefrom. He is evidently awaiting an answer to that condition, as he had not signed when he left here last night.

Silver Bullion Falling.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Silver bullion continued on its downward career yesterday and made a new low mark. The London price for bars dropped to 25⅝ pence per ounce, and in this city the commercial quotations fell off to 55⅝@55½. Mexican dollars shared in the depression, having sold down to 43 cents.

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Royalty on the Mines.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 11.—The following telegram has been received here from Ottawa:

"Mining regulations prepared after mature consideration by the Government and I do not think it will be possible to make any changes. I fancy the collection of royalty will not be as difficult as many imagine."

BEECHAM'S PILLS will dispel the "blues."

FINE PROGRAMME OF WINTER RACES.

Thirty-six Stakes Arranged for the Coming Oakland Meet.

More Money Hung Up Than During Any of the Preceding Years.

The stake programme for the fall and winter meeting in Oakland has been arranged by the California Jockey Club. In all thirty-six stakes are arranged, four more than last year.

The Burlingame, the Flood and Athenian Club stakes, that were hurdle stakes last year, have been changed to flat races. The first to be run will be the Athenian Club cup, a selling stake of $1,500 in value, for three-year-olds and upward, on Thanksgiving day, November 25th, two miles and a quarter.

The Burlingame stakes, one mile, value $1,000, is changed to an all-aged condition, stake, to be run Saturday, December 18th.

The Flood stakes will this season be a handicap for three-year-olds, one mile and a half, value $1,500 to be run Christmas day, Saturday, December 25th. Handicapper Brooks hopes to make this the greatest three-year-old event of the year.

In new stakes to be run at the fall meeting are the Racine stakes, six furlongs, value $1,000, for two-year-olds, to be run Wednesday, December 15th. The other is the Oakland prize stake, one mile, for two-year-olds, value $1,250, to be run Wednesday, December 22d.

The ten stakes of $1,000 each offered to horsemen of free entrance last season have been increased to twelve this year, two of these amounting to $1,250 each.

The new free stakes of the Flirtation, for three-year-old fillies (that are two-year-olds now), six and one-half furlongs.

The Reliance Club handicap, seven furlongs, as named for the Reliance Club of Oakland, is a highweight handicap for all ages; value $1,000.

The Acme Club handicap, six and a half furlongs, named for the Acme Athletic Club of Oakland, is a handicap for all ages; value $1,000.

The Cadmus stake, one mile, is for three-year-olds (that are two-year-olds now) that have never won a stake or five races of any value up to the closing date of stake; value $1,250. As the two-year-old stakes this spring were all won by a limited number of colts and fillies this stake should secure the largest entries and produce one of the best three-year-old races during the early part of the spring meeting of 1898.

By the dates of the first eight stakes being advertised it will give the California horses a greater chance to capture their events than heretofore, and the Eastern horsemen can judge for theselves before entering if they will have ample time to prepare their horses for certain stakes; or, in other words, it is the intention of the California Jockey Club to induce Eastern horsemen to ship to the coast earlier this season than ever before. The advantage of the free entrance stakes were conclusively shown last season in the case of Cella & Sipy and Johnnie McHale, who entered extensively in all of the stakes; their horses all going off after their arrival in California they were enabled to declare out of these stake engagements without any cost, otherwise their stake entries would have amounted to as much as their shipping expenses from the East.

The second stake book will be issued later and will contain, with a few changes, the same stakes that were run last winter.

The Burns handicap, for all ages, value $10,000, one mile and a quarter.

The Thornton stakes, for three-year-olds and upward, value $3,000, four miles, will be changed so that for an additional amount a horse may be nominated a few days before the race.

The Palace Hotel handicap, for all ages, value $2,000, one mile and a furlong.

The Gunst stakes, for all ages, value $1,500, one and one-sixteenth miles, will be changed from a selling stake to a condition stake or handicap.

The Baldwin Hotel handicap, for all ages, value $1,500, one mile.

The Follanshee handicap, for all ages, value $1,250, seven furlongs.

The McLaughlin selling stakes, for all ages, value $1,250, one and one-sixteenth miles, are of the same condition as last season.

The Pacific Union stakes, for all ages, value $1,500, one mile and a furlong.

The Lissak stakes, for three-year-olds, value $1,250, six furlongs, will be changed from selling stakes to condition stakes.

The Rancho del Paso, handicap, for three-year-olds, value $1,250, one mile.

The six two-year-old stakes for foals of 1896—the Elmwood, the Flying, the Racing, the Waterhouse, the General Arthur and the Candelaria handicap—will remain the same as last season.

The object in closing the larger stakes later is to secure the entries of all the best horses that will race during the winter season in California, as by that time all who are coming will have arrived.

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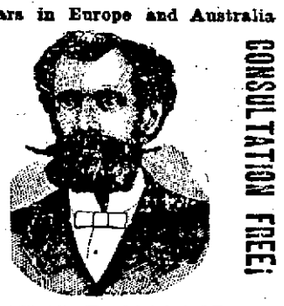

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Ex-Councilman Bassett Writes of Assessing Water Companies.

He Believes It May Result in an Increased Tariff to Consumers.

Editor Tribune--Dear Sir: It is more than probable that by the time the city Board of Equalization meets this evening the gentlemen composing that body will realize that to impose the proposed tax upon the water companies will be a step toward working a hardship upon the masses of the city of Oakland.

Water is an essential to each household, and any action of the city government that ever so remotely tends to an increase of the water rates is an implied premonition of an added tax to rate payers. When it is understood that neither of the water companies is paying its current expenses from its receipts it is plain that the imposition of additional outlay upon them is a reason and an argument for some arrangement that will increase receipts, and an increase of receipts means an increase in the cost of water.

It was upon this line of reasoning that while in the Council I maintained that the city should pay a higher rate for its hydrants. Such a plan would have reduced the chance of an advance of the water rate to the many. All are affected by such an advance. If the proposed tax is imposed it will affect but few and they but lightly, while out of the tax may come a condition of things that will seriously affect everybody.. Since the city has had two water companies the rate payers have saved perhaps $200,000 per annum. It will not be wise to endanger this great saving in the future for a few dollars taxes. The man who killed the goose that laid the golden eggs lived to regret his unwise act. I am firmly of the opinion that the Council should favor the exemption of both of our water companies from taxation. The small sum such a policy will keep from the city treasury will be but an infinitesimal fraction to the sum that may be saved to the people—all the people of the city. Since there has been water competition the city itself has saved in the reduced rate for water and cheaper hydrants a thousand times more than the proposed tax of the two companies. Now we have a water Clondyke. The city government cannot afford to endorse a line of procedure that will, in the slightest degree, tend to a resumption of the old order of things.

Oakland, Aug. 11, 1897.

J. M. BASSETT.

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THE PRODUCE MARKET.

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.

Local quotations are as follows: $1.47½ for No. 1, $1.48¾@1.50 for choice and $1.52½@1.57½ for extra choice for milling.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLOUR—Net cash prices are: Family extras, $4.75@4.85; Bakers' extras, $4.65@4.70 per bbl.

CORNMEAL, ETC.—Feed corn, $24@25 per ton; cracked corn, $25@28 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows: Graham flour, $2.75 per 100 lbs; rye flour, $2.50 per 100; rice flour, $5.75; cornmeal, $2.25, extra cream do, $3; oatmeal, $3.50; oat groates, $4; hominy, $3.10@3.30; buckwheat flour, $3.25@3.50; cracked wheat, $3.25; farina, $4; whole wheat flour, $3. rolled oats (bbls), $4.55@5.15; pearl barley, $3.75@4; split peas, $3.50; green, do, $4.25 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$14 50@15 for the best and $13 50@14 per ton for outside brands.

MIDDLINGS—$19@20 for lower grades and $21@22 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $20@21; oilcake mill at the mill, $30 per ton, jobbing, $31; chopped feed, $15@16 per ton.

HAY—Wheat, $11@15 per ton; wheat and oat, $10@14; oat, $10@12.50, barley, $8@12; compressed, $12.50@14; alfalfa, $7@8.50; stock, $7@8; clover, $8 50@9.50 per ton.

STRAW—30@40c per bale.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 5½c per lb; second do, 5c; third do, 4@4½c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 5@6c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5½@6c; ewes, 5@5½c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 7@7½c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs 3½@3¾c for large and 3¾c for small and medium; soft hogs, 2½@3¼c per lb; dressed do, 5c.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $3.00, small whites $1 25@1.35 per ctl; large whites, $1 20@1 30 per ctl; pinks, $1.35@1.50; reds, $1.20@1 50; blackeye, $1.50@1.65; red kidney, nominal; Limas, $1 75@1.85, Butters, $1.20@1 35, peas, $1.30@1.35.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $2.50@2.75; yellow mustard, $1.85 per ctl; flax, $1.00@1 10; canary seed, 1¾@2¼c per lb, alfalfa, 6¼c; rape, 2½@2¾c; hemp, 3c; timothy, 4½c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, nominal; green, $1.20@1.70 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—New Early Rose in boxes, 75@85c; in sacks, 40@50c; new Burbanks, 70@90c per ctl in boxes and 40@50c in sacks; Salinas Burbanks, 75c@$1, sweet potatoes, 1@1½c per lb.

ONIONS—Silverskins, 80c@$1 per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Bay Squash, 35@40c per box; marrowfat squash, $10@12 per ton; bay cucumbers, 15@25c per box; pickles, 75c@$1 for No. 1, 40@50c for No 2, green peppers, 25@30c for Chile and 40@50c for Bell; green peas, 2½c per lb, string beans, 2½@4c per lb; Lima beans, 3@4c, green okra, 40@60c per box; egg plant, 35@50c; cabbage, 60@75c per ctl; carrots, 25@30c per sack; garlic, 1½@2c per lb; tomatoes, 40@60c for river and 50@60c for Alameda; green corn, 50c@$1 per sack. 75@85c per crate for Berkeley and $1@1.50 per crate for Alameda.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys, 15@17c for gobblers and 12@13c for hens; geese per pair, $75c@$1; ducks, $2.50@3.25 for old and $3@4.50 for young; hens, $3.50@4.50 per doz; roosters, young, $4@6; do, old, $3.75@5; fryers, $3 25@3 50 per doz; broilers, $2.75@3 for large and $1.50@2.50 for small, pigeons, $1@1.25 per doz for young and for old.

GAME—Hare nominal; rabbits nominal.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—

CREAMERY—Fancy creameries, 23@24c; seconds, 22@22½c per lb.

DAIRY—Choice to fancy, 19@21c per lb; lower grades, 15@18c.

PICKLED—18@18c per lb.

FIRKIN—15@17c per lb.

EASTERN—12@13c for ladle-packed.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 7½@8c; common to good, 6@7c per lb, Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 8@9c; Western, 11c; Eastern, 13@15c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 17½@22c per doz; store eggs, 12@15c per doz; Eastern, 12@13c; duck eggs, 15c p r doz.

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DEPARTURE FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Sunol, Grays Harbor.....Aug. 11
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A. Blanchard, Oregon ports.....Aug. 11
Australia, Honolulu .....Aug. 12
Santa Rosa, San Diego.....Aug. 12
Czarina, Coos Bay.....Aug. 13
Coos Bay, Newport.....Aug. 14
City Puebla, Vic and Pgt Sd.....Aug. 14
Belgic, China and Japan.....Aug. 14
Wecott, Humboldt Bay.....Aug. 14
Chilkat, Ferndale .....Aug. 15
Corona, San Diego.....Aug. 15
Truckee, Yaquina Bay.....Aug. 16
State of California, Portland.....Aug. 16
Arcata, Coos Bay.....Aug. 17
Eureka, Newport .....Aug. 18
City of Para, Panama.....Aug. 18

ARRIVALS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Protection, Tillamook Bay.....Aug. 11
Crescent City, Crescent City.....Aug. 11
Czarina, Coos Bay.....Aug. 12
State of California, Portland.....Aug. 12
Coos Bay, Newport.....Aug. 12
Weott, Crescent City.....Aug. 12
Alliance, Portland .....Aug. 13
Truckee, Yaquina Bay.....Aug. 13
Signal, Humboldt Bay.....Aug. 13
Corona, San Diego .....Aug. 14
Arcata, Coos Bay.....Aug. 14
Chilkat, Eel River.....Aug. 14
Walla Walla, Vic and Pgt Sd.....Aug. 15
Eureka, Newport .....Aug. 16
Columbia, Portland .....Aug. 17
Santa Rosa, San Diego .....Aug. 18
Mineola, Panama .....Aug. 18
Sunol, Grays Harbor.....Aug. 21

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, AUG. 10, 1897.

Benj. E. and Jessie E. Seavey to Effie A. McLean, wf Geo., SE 240h av 415 SW E-20th st SW 30 x SE 150, being ptn blk L, sub 50 Associates tract; $10.

Mary and John Gorby and Theodore Mentz, by coml, to Peter H. Stubbe, E Webster st 50 S Buena Vista av S 125 x E 101, being lots 6 to 10, blk G, map of Shepardson ppty, S Railroad av 350 E Chestnut E 50 x S 217-8 being lot 11 blk 6, lands adjacent to Encinal, N 6th st 62-6 E Washington E 12-6 x N 100, being the E 1-6 of lots 1 to 4, blk 66; $3,686.

Daniel D. and Annie Hayes to Jennie Dunbar, NE Fruitvale av and Belmont st N 47 x E 150, being lot 3 Hayes tract, Fruitvale; $10.

The McCarthy Co. (a cpn) to M. G. and Manuela V. G. Rubio, lots 20 and 21 in sub E, Fruitvale Terminal tract; $10.

Laura E. and D. H. Beck to Jose F. G. Brazileiro, Survey 75 otherwise lot 35 containing 11.20 acres on official connected plat of Ex-Mission San Jose, being in Tp 4 SR 1 W; $4,250.

John Mallett, by comr., to Eliza Whitworth, N Taylor st 100 E Wood st E 50 N 106-5 E 50 N 50 W 100 S 156-5 to beg, being lot 3 and E ½ lot 5 blk 394; $3,310.

Richard and Johanna Murphy to Lawrence Nolan, E Filbert st 149-2 S W-18th st S 37-6 x E 125 being lot 28 and S ½ lot 29, blk 594, Market st tract; $10.

Wm. J. and Virginia R. Dingee to John R. Spring, NE 15th and Broadway N 114 x E 100 subj to a mtge for $70,000; $5.

Rebecca Davidson, admx. estate Nathan Davidson, to Andrew H. Hathaway, all int lots 3 and 4 blk B, Gaskill tract; $779.

Jas H. and Magdalena Anderson to Nancy J. Jones, NW Howe st 50 SW Howard st SW 30 x NW 100, being lot 2 blk G, map of Thermal Hill fmly Howe tract; $10.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Catherine S. Schmidt, lot 12 blk 2, map of sub ptn plot 79 Ro V and D Peralta; $1,191.

W. H. and Melissa Snow to Parnel Fowden, wf Mark, E Fulton st 151.50 S Russel st S 50 x E 135 being lot 6 blk B, Suburban tract, $10.

J. D. and Edna McDonald to Jane McDonald, S Taylor av 40 E 6th st E 40 S 120 being ptn Aughinbaugh 223-acre tract; $10.

* * * Henry Lux et al, to Miller & Lux (a cpn) re-record of 625 d 423, S Railroad av 155 E Bay st E 16 x S 100, being ptn lot 7 blk 28, Fitch Hd tract; lots 5 and 6 of sub of lot 63, Kingsland tract; lots 1 and 9 of sub of lot 8 blk F, Vernon Park, also all int in any real ppty in county of Alameda belonging to late co-partnership of Miller and Lux; $10.

* * * Henry, Philip and Barbara Lux, Henry, Sr., and Henry Roehrig, Jr., Dorothea Rott, Henry Lux, as admr. estate Dorothea Roehrig, S L. Wolf, C. L Michel, Emil and Geo. Lux, Henry Lux, as guardian estate Emil and Geo. Lux (minors), Henry Lux, as admr. estate Geo. Lux, Jesse S. Potter as tr estate Chas. Lux et als.

PROBATE.

Estate of J. L. Shuck, decree partial distribution to Annie Foley, SW Lincoln and Peralta sts W 200 x S 102, Okd.

Estate of Wm. Winter, order setting apart homestead to Kate Winter N San Jose av 100 E Oak st E 50 x N 150, Ala.

MORTGAGES.

John Allman to Hibernia S. & L Society, SW 7th and Clay sts W 150 x S 100, being lots 12 to 18, blk 68; NE Elm and Broadway N 245-8 E 30-4 S 238 W 31-1 to beg, being ptn Lincoln and Webster st Hd, 1 year 7½ per cent; $21,000.

M. G. and Manuel V. G. Rubio to Continental B. & L. Assn, lots 20 and 21 in sub E Fruitvale Terminal tract, 7 years 6 per cent; $550.

Theodore Eisfeldt to S F. Musical Fund Society, SE Buena Vista av and Minturn st E 56 x S 105 being the N 105 ft of lots 12 and 14 blk 43, town of Encinal, 1 year 7 per cent; $1,400.

Mary A. and Edwin A. Randlett to Annie E. Stebbins, E Chestnut st 50 S Railroad av S 50 x E 150, 1 year 7 per cent; $2,000.

Mary Holden to Eliza H. Scotchler, SW Chatituck av and Delaware st S 40 W 100.05 N 39 90 E 102.87 to beg, being lot 7 blk 5, Sea View Park, 3 years 8½ per cent; $800

Edward C. Bray to Philip Kolb, 6.41 acres beg at a point on SE line county road No. 1530 NE 8.17 chs from NW cor lands of Husted, th NE 3 chs NE 3 chs NE 2 86 chs S 10 chs SW 7 95 chs N 6.06 chs to beg, ptn plot 2 Bernal ptn Ro El Valle de San Jose, 1 year 10 per cent, $450.

C M. and Jessie L. Lambert to Victor N Ligda, S 45th st 750 W Telegraph av W 56-9 S 144-10¾ E 63-1½ N 144-9½ to beg, being lot 20 Perrin tract, Aug. 10, 1899, 8 per cent; $500

W J. and Maria Kramer to Alameda Savings Bank, S San Antonio av 400 W Walnut st W 50 x S 150 blk L, map of ppty Pioneer Hd Assn, $500.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

R. D. Hunter and A. Wilson to J West Martin and Wm. G. Henshaw, trus Union Savings Bank, S 32d st 100 E Grove E 210 x S 140 being lots 18 to 21 and W 10 ft lot 17, blk 2030, Rowland tract; $1,350.

Daniel McLeod to same, E Linden st 220 N W-8th st N 50 x E 125 blk J, Market st tract; $1,400.

J. C. and Catherine S. Schmidt to Isaac L. Requa and W. W. Garthwaite, trus Oakland Bank of Savings, N University av 120 50 E San Pablo av E 97.70 N 204 W 115 08 S 204.83 to beg being lots 9 and 10 blk A, Rooney tract; NW Bkly way and Henry st W 46 x N 136.69 being lot 12 blk 2 map of sub of plot 79 Ro V and D Peralta; $1,100.

John Yule to same, SW E-14th st 40 SE 26th av E 40 SW 125 NW 40 N125 to beg blk 1, Eden Park; SE 26th av 300 SW E-14th st SW 180 SE 120.36 NE 180 NW 120.22 to beg blk 1, same, lots 13 to 16 blk 1; lots 1, 5 to 8 and 11 blk 2 Eden Park; $10,000.

RELEASES.

Alameda Savings Bank to Henry A. Gerrish, 547 m 37, W Benton st 100 S Railroad av S 50 x W 150 being lots 13 and 14 blk 26, Fitch Hd tract; $2,000.

Union Savings Bank to Mary L. Whitney, 541 m 9, NE 8th and Jefferson sts N 200 E 150 S 100 W 25 S 100 W 125 to beg, being lots 1 to 11, 27 and 28 blk 93; $6,000.

J. C. Jentry to Margaret Ryan, 430 m 105, S Berkeley way 50 W Hamilton st W 50 x S 125 being lot 23 map of subs 9 and 10, Hardy tract; $400.

Edith Koch, fmly Millichap, to J. G. and Cordelia E. Day, 447 m 277, W Adeline st 176 S 24th st S 25 x W 128-3 being lot 15 blk 651, map of Adeline st lots; $100.

Estate Henrietta T. Losee by W. Thomson, admr, to J. O. and Martha A. Hanscom, 429 m 169, NW Arch and Vine sts N 90 W 45 S 90 E to beg, being the E 45 ft lots 38, 39 and 40 blk 1, resub Antisell Villa lots, $1,300.

Mary L. Sorelli to John Lynch, 484 m 1, the N ½ of S ½ range 1, Hardy tract; $3,000.

Oakland Loan and Investment Co. to Melissa Snow, 528 m 369, lot 6 blk B, suburban tract; $1,666.

Eliza B. Brokan to John and Mary E. Sweeney, 502 m 147, lots 47 and 48 map of Henry and Phillips tract; $200.

Andrew H Hathaway to Nathan Davidson, 511 m 247, lots 3 and 4 blk G, Gaskill tract; $840.

ASSIGNMENT.

Arthur H. Denny to John Hinkel, assigns 539 m 409 made by Jas. L. Robinson April 9, 1896, for $1,000, NW Blake and Ellsworth sts W 50 x N 135 blk 454, Blake tract, Bkly; $10.

John Yule to Oakland Bank of Savings, assigns 428 m 458, made by E. and Emeline M Powell March 7, 1893, for $2,900, lot 2 blk 2 and NE 5 ft of lot 3 blk 2, Eden Park, Bklyn Tp; 422 m 325 made by Delos Pratt Oct. 24, 1893, for $937, lot 5 blk 1, revised map Eden Park, Bklyn Tp; 488 m 141 made by Alice Peterson June 9, 1894, for $300, lot 16 blk 2, revised map Eden Park, Bklyn Tp; $10.

LIS PENDENS.

Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Augustin Bernal et al, to foreclose 433 m 333, 141 acres beg at a stake and mound at NE cor plot 47 Ro El Valle de San Jose, th E 48.43 chs to stake in center county road at SE cor plot 44, th SW 10.85 chs SW 1.85 chs to W line right of way of W. P. R. R., th SW to its intersection with S line plot 43, th W 21.92 chs to S cor plot 37, th N 39.82 chs to beg, ptn plot 42 Ro El Valle de San Jose, Murray Tp; $10,000.

Mamie C. Bacon vs. Bacon Land and Loan Co. et al, to quiet title to NE 15th and Broadway N 114 x E 100 blk 261, Okd.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Libbie, Cora F., Howard, Herbert A., Bertha M. and Dora M. Cannift to Wm. H. Knight, general.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

John J. Moran and Frank Dunn to Norman Parrish, desks, organ, chairs, benches, etc., at Peralta school near Berkeley, Okd Tp., 1 year 7 per cent; $510

Peter and Christian Johnson to Jens P. L. Bjorholm, 1-stone frame dwelling house and 1-story frame barn on E side county road Haywards to Niles, about ¾ of a mile from Haywards postoffice, Eden Tp., 1 year 8 per cent; $275.

EXECUTION.

John S Mathey vs Frank J. Woodward, ppty standing in name of S. C. Martin, NW 11th av 131.69 NE E-28th st NW 145 NE 50.05 SE 147 SW 50 to beg being lot 12 and SW 10 ft of lot B, Bella Vista Park, E. Okd; SE 14th av 115 NE E-20th st NW 185 SE 100 SW 185 NW 100 to beg, blk 128, Clinton, E Okd; $69. Writ issued from Justices Court, Okd

HOMESTEADS.

Anton Christensen, declaration, lot 6 blk F, Crystal Spring tract, Bkly; $1600.

Modesta Pedrazzini, wife of Peter, declaration, lots 61 and 62 and NE 5 ft lot 60, corrected map Electric Heights tract, Bklyn; $2,000.

ATTACHMENTS.

John Levy vs W. H Frost, lot 4 blk L map of Peralta Heights, E Okd; $500. Writ issued from Superior Court Alameda county.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

H. Hobson vs. P. J. Keller, papers on appeal from Justices Court, Okd Tp, goods, $12, O. G Heaton for pltff and P. J. Keller for defdt.

Estate H. W. Marston, by admr., vs. Harriet A. Marston et al.; accounting; Fox & Gray.

Meda Allin vs. Wm. E. Allin; divorce; H. D. Talcott.

W. F. Kroll vs. J. Glaser, to quiet title to S line county road Oakland to San Leandro, 75 E Bassett st E 50 x S 115, ptn lots 5 and 6 blk 774, Levy tract, Bklyn Tp; Fred L. Button.

Anna B. Caruth vs. Chas. C. Caruth; divorce; Cannon and Freeman.

Jas. B. Merritt vs. Theodore A. Bell et al, services, $2,600; E. C Robinson.

The Union National Bank vs. F. W. Braun & Co., note, $500, A. A. Moore.

st 177-6 N Central at N 40 x W 100 blk Attachment.

Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Augustin Bernal et al, as in Lis Pendens, $10,000, John Yule.

H. Hobson vs. W. W. Butler et al; services, $981; O. G. Heaton.

Mamie C. Bacon vs. Bacon Land and Loan Co. et al; as in lis pendens, J. J. Scrivner.

O. H Burnham et al vs Fireman's Fund Ins Co, of dismissal.

J. J. Donovan et al. vs. D. Lambert; same

W. H. Penrue vs, same; same.

J. E. Morris et al. vs C. L. Maxwell; same.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

J J. Rauer vs P. A Dean, W Willow st 177-6 N Central av N 40 x W 100 blk 8, lands adjct to Encinal, Ala; lot 15 blk C, Bellevue tract, Ala At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

COMMISSIONER'S SALES.

Mary J. Foster vs. Ida E. Nichols et al, 13 acres beg in center Sinbad creek at NW cor 11.48 acre tract of Mary J. Lovell by deed of June 27, 1884, th NW 2.07 chs NE 1 50 chs NE 4.87 chs NE 15.36 chs SE 6.52 chs SW .39 chn SW 1.79 chs SW 1.15 chs NW 2.39 chs SW 1.51 chs SW 1.53 chs SW 1.35 chs SW 3.10 chs SW 2 73 chs SW 5.64 chs to beg, ptn NW ¼ Sec 9 Tp 4 S R 1 E, with exception, Murray Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Lydia M. Francis vs. Harry L. and Mary E. Miller et al. N Johnson av 150 W Court st W 50 x N 150, ptn Johnson tract, Ala. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Pacific Surety Co. vs. Daniel S. Davis, NW 1st and Webster N 25 x W 75 blk 8 Okd. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

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LEGAL.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary S. Bartlett, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Bartlett, deceased, and for the issuance to William C. Bartlett of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 30th day of August, A. D., 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated August 7th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

J. J. LERMEN,

Attorney for petitioner, 310 Pine street, San Francisco.

LEGAL.

EXECUTORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, Department No. 4 thereof, duly given and made on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, in the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, we, the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, will sell, at private sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on and after the 2d day of August, 1897, all the right, title and interest and estate of said Phillip Boogar, deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Phillip Boogar at the time of his death, of, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

First—Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Franklin street distant thereon fifty (50) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Eighth and Franklin streets; and running thence southerly along the said easterly line of Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet; and running thence at right angles easterly seventy-five (75) feet; running thence northerly and parallel with Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet, and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning. Being lots numbered 4, 5 and 6 in block 78, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Second—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second street and the easterly line of Poplar street; and running thence easterly along said northerly line of Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet to the westerly line of Union street; thence at right angles northerly along said westerly line of Union street one hundred and twenty-three and one-half (123½) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Poplar street forty (40) feet, thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the easterly line of Poplar street; thence at right angles southerly along the easterly line of Poplar street two hundred and sixty-three and one-half (263½) feet to the place of beginning Being a portion of block 69, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Third—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point of intersection of the easterly line of Franklin street with the southerly line of Eighth street, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of Franklin street fifty (50) feet, running thence easterly seventy-five (75) feet; thence northerly fifty (50) feet; and running thence westerly seventy five (75) feet to the point of commencement. The said last above described real estate will be sold subject to an order of the said Superior Court given and made on April 29th, 1897, in the matter of said estate, and by which order of Court the said last above described real estate was set apart to the surviving widow of the said deceased for and during her natural life

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Cash in gold coin of the United States, ten (10) per cent of the amount bid payable at the time of sale and the balance thereof upon confirmation by the above entitled Court.

Said real property will be sold, either as a whole or in subdivisions.

All bids or offers for said property, or any portion thereof must be in writing, and will be received and may be left at the law office of P. F. Benson, room 20, 7th floor, Mills building, San Francisco, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of any sale.

Dated July 13th, 1897.

P. F. BENSON and
E. M PATERSON,
Executors of the last will and testament of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Travis deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John Travis, deceased, and for the issuance to Martha Travis of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 16th day of August, A. D., 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated August 3d, 1897.

FRANK C JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

J. E McELROY, ESQ.

Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on Thursday, the 15th day of July, 1897, an assessment (No. 18) of one dollar ($1) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, No. 240 Second street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 24th day of August, 1897, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 18th day of September, 1897, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

C. B. STONE, Secretary.

Office—No. 240 Second street, San Francisco, California.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Elijah Hook, sometimes called E. Hook, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the administratrix of the estate of Elijah Hook, sometimes called E. Hook, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at number 411 Twelfth street, Oakland, California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

Dated at Oakland July 27th.

NANNIE P. HOOK,

Administratrix of the estate of Elijah Hook, sometimes called E. Hook, deceased.

BENJAMIN HEALEY,

Attorney for Administratrix.

LEGAL.

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Elizabeth Severance, Harriet La Vaughn Severance and Helen Severance, Minors.

Helen H. Severance, guardian of the persons and estates of Elizabeth Severance, Harriet La Vaughn Severance, and Helen Severance, minors, having filed herein a duly verified petition praying for an order of this Court authorizing, empowering and directing said guardian to borrow the sum of four thousand dollars or such lesser sum as the Court may deem necessary wherewith to pay the charges of administration of the said estates and for the purpose of securing the payment of said loan, as said guardian to make, execute and deliver to the lender of said sum of money her promissory note therefor in manner and form as the Court may direct, and as security therefor to mortgage to the lender of said sum of money the following real property of said minors, to-wit: All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Santa Clara, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a post marked "H 3 & H 4" on the east line of the Pala Rancho, said post being S 49 deg 30 min. E 57.56 chains from a gatepost being the NW corner of the Higuera Tract; thence N 39 deg. 33 min. E 20.25 chains to a stake in corner of fence; thence S 48 deg 57 min. W 0.24½ chains to a 3"x3" redwood monument marked "S 1;" and thence N 39 deg. 33 min. E parallel and 16 feet southeasterly from the NW line of the Martin Higuera Tract distant 21.20 chains to monument "S 2;" thence S 49 deg. 30 min. E 19 147-1000 chains to a 3"x3" redwood monument; thence S 39 deg 30 min. W 41 365-1000 chains to monument "H 4 & H 3" in the east line of the Pala Rancho; thence N 49 deg. 30 min. W 19.54 chains to place of beginning, containing eighty acres, being a part of lot number 3 of the Higuera partition in accordance with map filed in the case of Higuera vs Higuera, case No 6017, in the Superior Court of the County of Santa Clara, State of California, magnetic variation 16 deg 30 min E, courses true.

Also all of lot 4 of the partition of the Higuera Rancho so-called, and shown by the final decree in the suit of David Higuera et al vs Pedro Higuera et al., No. 6017, brought in the Superior Court of said County of Santa Clara, a certified copy of which decree is of record in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Santa Clara in the records thereof, in Book V of Miscellaneous, page 225, to which said record and decree reference is hereby made for more particular description.

It is hereby ordered, that all persons interested in the said estates of said minors appear before this Court at its Court room in Department No, four thereof, in the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, on the 30th day of August, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day and then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the said prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and the aforesaid real property or some part thereof mortgaged to secure a loan to said minors of the sum of $4,000 or such lesser amount as to the Court shall seem meet, wherewith to pay the charges of administration of the said estates of said minors.

For all further particulars of said petition you are hereby referred to the petition now on file herein.

Done in open Court this 22d day of July, 1897.

JOHN ELLSWORTH, Judge.

ATHOL AVENUE OPENING.

NOTICE OF SALE.

DELINQUENT LIST.

Office of Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, California, July 30th, 1897.

Public notice is hereby given that default having been made in the payment of the several amounts due upon the property hereinafter described and assessed thereon for the costs and expense of opening and widening Athol avenue in the City of Oakland from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue as per a part of Commissioners filed with the Clerk of the City Council of said City of Oakland on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1897, and finally confirmed, approved and adopted by the City Council of said city at a meeting thereof held on the 11th day of June, A. D., 1897

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SPORTING NEWS

Numbers of Interesting Events Scheduled for the Future.

ACME AND RELIANCE BOXING.

Good Sport Promised Soon at Both of the Clubs.

CITY AND COUNTY BASEBALL.

Interest in the Forthcoming Game Is on the Increase.

Sports are becoming at present and baseball is the all-absorbing topic.

Intense interest is being felt in the forthcoming contest between representatives of the city and county governments.

The Reliance Club team's performance last Saturday and Sunday are being thoroughly discussed and interest in this week's games is increasing.

Both the Acme and Reliance Clubs will soon give entertainments which are sure to be successful.

THE UMPIRE.

It is certainly encouraging to see the interest which is being shown in amateur athletics nowadays and the managers of the Acme and Reliance Club will find that they are making no mistakes in aranging for further gentlemen's and ladies' nights.

The past has amply proven that nothing can evoke greater interest in club affairs than frequent events of this kind.

Baseball is also responsible for much of the interest shown in club work and the recent performances of the Reliance nine has done much to revive enthusiasm in every branch of amateur sport.

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Considerable has been said about the baseball game between representatives of the city and county governments, which is to be played in Alameda Saturday.

There has been no end of fun poked at those who are to meet on the diamond and all sorts of laughable jokes have been cracked at the expense of the players, but those who intend to see a game of ball between a lot of novices are apt to come home fooled Saturday night.

The fact is that most of the men who are to play have had more or less experience on the diamond, and the game promises to be an interesting one.

The practice this week will take out a lot of the stiffness with which the men have been afflicted and before the end of the week the players will all be in the pink of condition.

Those who attend the game with the expectation of seeing some first rate baseball will not be disappointed.

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Searchlight, owned by C. R. Crellin of Pleasant, Cal., has equaled the world's record of 2:09¼ for three-year-old pacers, now holding it jointly with Agitato, Judge Hurd and Miss Rita. The record mile was placed in the first heat of the 2:10 pacing race. Thomas E. Keating, who drove Searchlight also had the honor of driving Agitato to his record at Sacramento last year. Keating considers Searchlight two seconds faster than Agitato, and says he could drive the colt in 2:07 over any regular trotting course, twelve feet of the Butte track being prepared for runners. Searchlight is by Dark Night, now owned in Germany.

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When Charley Tye, once the Acme Club's favorite, and M. Egan of San Francisco met at the Acme Club some time ago and Egan was awarded the decision on a foul after a spirited contest, there was considerable talk about the fairness of the decision.

Particularly was this so in regard to the friends of Tye, who claimed that their man had outfought Egan at every stage of the contest. Notwithstanding this the decision stood, and one day Tye renounced his allegiance to the Acme Club and cast his lot with Reliance.

The Reliance Club will now attempt to re-match the men for its gentlemen's night on September 2d.

The announcement is decidedly interesting and lovers of the manly art will be afforded an opportunity of witnessing something spicy if the match does not fall through.

Tye alleges that he was not given a fair deal at the Acme Club and he feels certain that he can prove his superiority over Egan if they ever come together again.

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The present season has great things in store in the way of football and already there is sufficient gossip on college campus and athletic club "gym" to remind one that the opening of the season is not a great way off.

The Reliance Club is the only organization that will be allowed to contest with the two big universities and the members of the club will spare no effort to put a team in the field that will keep the wearers of the blue and gold and of the cardinal guessing.

This year Reliance will work with the U. C. men. Last year there was trouble between the Reliance men and Couch Butterworth of Berkeley, which resulted in Reliance going to Stanford to train. This year, however, Berkeley's principal coach, Prof. Nott, is quite friendly with the Oakland boys and their old trainer, Al Lean, is now training the U. C. team. Hence there is a spirit of friendliness between the two teams which has entirely healed last year's breach.

As a result of the withdrawal of the Olympic Club from the Amateur Athletic Union, the only team left to go against the collegians is Reliance.

At Berkeley one hears little else in the sporting line. As each freshman enters college he is subjected to the usual "football scrutiny" and if he gives evidence of being able to furnish the team with "material," he is at once lionized.

Captain Ransome and Eddie Sherman have played their last with the blue and gold, but there are a number of the old players back, among them being Haskins, Hall, Simpson, Carr, Collier, Anderson, Render and Kaarsberg.

Physical Instructor Magee will have general supervision of the club's training, but most of the work will be done by Al Lean.

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The Official Handbook of the Amateur Athletic Union has just been issued as No. 69 of Spalding's Athletic Library. It contains a list of the associations with their officers and club members, the constitution, by-laws, athletic and general rules, which have been revised so thoroughly by the A. A. U. that a copy is indispensable to every athlete. A pleasing innovation in the Handbook is the excellent half-tone portraits of the officers of the A. A. U. and allied bodies.

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The California Turf speaks editorially on the question of this season's circuit prizes as follows:

"While no definite information is at hand just at this moment, it is a known fact that both the California and Pacific Coast Jockey Clubs are now hard at work preparing announcements for a list of sweepstakes which will be richer and more plentifully than those of any past season.

"It was largely to attract attention to these announcements the handsome little phamphlet 'Racing in California' was compiled. Both associations have secured a large number of copies of the work which will be distributed in the East with the announcements of stakes to close when prepared. The object of the work is to acquaint those who have not already enjoyed a season in California with the tremendous advantages and immense pleasure to be derived by such a sojourn. It is expected that the forthcoming winter will find the rank and file, as well as the very pick of Eastern turfmen, enjoying their winter season on the Pacific Coast."

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The Reliance Club has a genius in camp—none of your regulation, twenty-for-a-nickel geniuses, but an out and out, bona fide genius of the old school. He is a Websterian, rhetorical, double-action genius with a penchant for flowery prose.

It is safe to say that for elegance of style and purity of diction, his equal could not be found in all California since Joaquin Miller left for the Clondyke.

Here's a right royal sample:

"Herman Tubbs has returned from Placer. When leisure permitted, the popular club man, animated by fond dreams of venison, mounted a horse and hied away to the land of promise. Imbued by a vigorous but blind enthusiasm he cut his way through the tortuous by-ways through the rugged mountains. Worn out at last by his unrewarded zeal he thought to turn his face homeward, but its direction was indeed ambiguous. For fifteen weary and reproachful hours man and horse sought for the eluding trail. Success seemed hopeless, when lo, a propitious fate directed the waywards aright—Tubbs strenuously declares 'He'll never go there any more.'"

In plain English, Tubbs went deer hunting and was lost for several hours in the mountains. Upon reaching home he was so tired and disgusted that he declared he would not again go deer hunting without a guide.

Observe the rythm in the following:

"Captain Gross, Dave Williamson, Percy Deacon and Burt Burrell have returned from their camping trip to Mendocino county. With them they brought the promised sack of jerked venison. With judicious hand they portioned off the booty, giving to each of the anxious members his allotted portion. The venison is no more—the recipients sagely shake their heads and religiously mutter, when in secret session, of palpatable shams. They vow 'twas surely some unoffending goat palmed off upon their unsuspecting innocence."

Who ever heard of a Reliance man's "innocence!" Is it possible that the correspondent is ironical?

Again:

"Cal Ewing is having his arm rubbed with catsup so that he might be in good condition for the great game between the city and county ball teams. Cal speaks highly of its power in strengthening the throwing muscles. He got the prescription from Ireland, whom, he states has used it right along."

Poor Cal! Who'd ever have thought it?

THE UMPIRE.

RELIANCE IS BOOMING.

The Members Are Soon to See Some Fine Boxing.

Proudly and gayly did the Reliance colors flutter on high after Saturday's and Sunday's baseball victories. The confidence and strength of the Santa Cruz team was forced to bow low before the irresistible prowess of the Reliance boys Saturday, and yet, be it admitted with all candor, the ocean boys made a strong, bold fight, and up to the ninth inning the outlook for the Reliance boys was swaddled in the gray, unpromising garb of uncertainty; but at that point the Reliance boys, lynx eyed as ever, discovered the x y z's of Daubenbis' method of twirling and once again gave proof of their iron clad invincibility. Daubenbis' method being obvious, victory was lightly wrested from the ocean boys.

In Sunday's game the Reliance men took up the thread of victory where they had left it at the close of Saturday's glorious success, and from first to finish displayed their superior ability and power.

With Milwain and Doyle, the Reliance team is in undeniable possession of the two best pitchers of the tournament. But not only are their twirling proclivities pronounced, but in rare combination with this gift they have displayed an ability for excellent batting and fielding. Out of twenty hits recorded in Sunday's game, Milwain and Doyle made eight—not in all a lugubrious display for twirlers. With McGuire on first, Stultz on second, Lange at short and Dean on third, the Reliance has an infield it might well be proud of. Stultz covers the second bag in a manner delightful to behold. As for Pop Wilson's catching, black and white are too meager and exacting for apt expression of its merits. He is one who makes himself a positive factor throughout the whole game. With an expression upon his face of wholesome determination, or in the inimitable partance of a junior enthusiast, "wid a never-say-die look," he enters upon the contest and from first to finish keeps the game in a state of lively effervescence.

Next Saturday and Sunday will witness a contest between the Reliance and another team of reputed giants—the Riversides. Both games will be well worth seeing, for the battling teams will strive with might and main to have victory perched high aloof upon their standards. Let the Reliance rooters attend en masse! Let them justly proclaim the slogan which has sounded the death knell to all the teams that have as yet faced the boys of the star and the "R."

Percy Mott and Bert Elford leave this evening for the Portland, to participate in the bicycle meet of Saturday and Sunday. Duke Burns, the club's popular trainer, accompanies them. The Duke will be a big help to them, as he is one of the best starters on the coast.

A very exciting game of hand-ball was played last night between Morey and Jim Jellett and Bert Oliver and George Mahoney. At the end of an hour's playing neither side had the better of it. A hand-ball tournament will be held shortly.

A ladies' night will be given on either the 24th or 25th of this month. Wrestling, boxing, bicycle races, specialties and music will be the features of the evening.

The club intends to make this a night long to be remembered.

Thursday evening, September 2d, is the date set for the gentlemen's night. There will be two "goes." Frank Schuler of the San Francisco Athletic Club will meet Billy De Courcey of Los Angeles. They are to weigh in at 125 pounds, and as both men are very aggressive it promises to be a battle royal. Tye will meet Eagan or some other good man.

AT THE ACME.

Everything Is Flourishing at the Down-Town Club.

The next gentleman's night at the Acme Club will be held on the twenty-fifth day of August. A match has been arranged between George Simpson of the Acmes and J. Granfield of the San Francisco Athletic Club. Granfield was the winner of the recent amateur "goes" at the Olympic Club.

Simpson has been a conscientious worker in the Acme gynasium and heretofore has appeared in many good preliminaries.

It is expected that this will be one of the cleverest boxing exhibitions seen on this side of the bay.

Members only and those who are on the complimentary list of the Club, including newspapers, and officers and directors of neighboring clubs, will receive tickets.

Charles Slamberg has joined the ranks of instructers at the Club and for the time being is taking the place of Jack Kitchen Jr. during the latter's vacation.

When Jack temporarily rested it was supposed he was taking a vacation for one, but since it has developed that the vacation was for two. There was an old band of bachelors who had procured life membership in the Club, expecting that in the comfortable club parlors they might while away the hours till there were "silver threads amongst the gold." There were Frank Leavitt, Tim Scanlan, Jimmy Wright and many others. But one anchor was left which kept the whole raft from going adrift. The old guard looked longingly at Jack. They thought the one hope was safe, and he would be content to teach the young idea how to box.

It is hard to account for the methods of Dan Cupid or in what particular part he gave Jack the knock out. Friends have suggested it was a heart blow, and the second is still taking care of him. The last of the old bachelors has become a benedict.

The juvenile class is steadily growing and Professor Leando is having a busy time with the boys. It is found quite easy to fill a class from the years of five to eighteen Wednesday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 P. M. and Saturday mornings from 10 to 12 A. M., at the rate of $1.00 per month dues. The good opportunity is not being lost sight of and possibly at the next ladies night the juveniles will be given a place on the programme.

On next Sunday there will be a five mile handicap road race over the Haywards course and the following Sunday there will be a joint run between the Trampers and Wheelmen to Mt. Tamalpais. The runs and races are expected to put the riders in good condition for the next inter-club race.

The belief that the Baker & Hamilton trophy will return to the Club at the next race for the cup is growing stronger each day and the races between now and then will establish the fact that the effort to recover it began the day it was lost and will be persevered in until the next race is over.

At the Olympic Club last Friday evening was organized the Amateur Athletic Association of the Pacific States. Judge William P. Lawlor of the Olympic Club was elected temporary president and J. P. Cook of the Acmes temporary secretary. Messrs. Taylor of the Olympic, Smith of the Fresno and Allen of the Acme Clubs were appointed a committee to draft a constitution and by-laws. The Association will meet at the rooms of the Olympic Club each Friday evening till the preliminary arrangements are completed.

Numerous inquiries are being made about the qualifications for membership in this organization.

It is to be composed of amateur athletic clubs devoted to general athletics. It will be the effort of this Association to restore the interest in general amateur athletic events which at one time existed. The first general field day will be held on the twenty-fifth day of September, 1897, on one of the athletic grounds of San Francisco, to be hereafter agreed upon. Every feature of athletic work will be presented, including the in-door as well as the out-door exercises, and it is certain that in the nature of an entertainment this will surpass any athletic exhibition ever presented in San Francisco.

With such a persistent and judicious worker as Judge Lawlor at the head of the Association, devoted as he is to seeing amateur athletics prosper, the success of the Association is assured.

The class nights at the Club are increasing in popularity and considering this is the dull period of the year, it is very flattering to have sixty men exercising in the gymnasium at one time.

Two instructors are now required in the boxing class and as the short days approach, which usually brings to the Club the largest number of members, it is more than likely that assistance will have to be given to Lean and Leando in the wrestling and tumbling classes.

The large number seeking election to the office of directors is making the vote seeker industrious. It is flattering to know that the club is in a position where there is a struggle to be one of its officers.

WORKING HARD.

Practical Training of the Men Who Play for Charity.

Saturday next will be a great day in "officialdom." for representatives of the city and county governments will at that time cross bats on the Alameda diamond.

To say that the whole city is interested in the outcome of the great game would be to term it mildly. Oakland is actually excited. Very little else is talked of on the street corners, and the admirers of each team are willing at any time to back up their opinions and the favorites with the proverbial money, chalk or marbles.

Just which team has the more admirers is rather difficult to decide, but if everybody who is expressing himself freely on the subject attends the game, the Alameda baseball park will see the largest crowd that has ever assembled within its pales.

The game will be quite a society event, and it is expected that the grand stand will be filled with ladies.

The game will be played for charity, the gate receipts going to the Associated Charities. That fact alone should insure a large attendance, but it is expected that countless hundreds will attend regardless of charitable motives. Still the time honored mantle will be thrown over the affair, and some have gone so far as to say that catcher Mason of the county team will use the mantle in lieu of a chest protector.

However that may be, both teams are practicing daily for the event, and it is quite certain that the teams will be in first rate condition, both physically and mentally, when the game is called.

The city team is practicing at the St. Mary's College grounds. A player who has come quite prominently to the front in the city team is Dick Ayer, whose batting qualities are phenomenal. Dick throws like a man who hasn't taken out his second papers, and he affects the style of catching commonly known as "butter-fingers," but when it comes to swatting out a three bagger without a second thought Richard is a crackerjack.

Ed Noblett, better known as the fourth member of the Board of Public Works, doesn't yet know whether he will be allowed to pitch for the city team or not, but he has not relaxed his training. Each day he and Monte Clement, who used to play with the old Greenhood & Morans, get out on the roof of the City Hall, where Monte is building a blue print room, and practice curves by the hour. It is said that Monte gets so excited that he almost forgets the trouble he is having in outsing Chief Fair from the Fire Department.

One of the greatest enthusiasts at the hall is the Mayor, who has decided to introduce an original feature at the game. He will lead a delegation of gum girls against the spectators, and he hopes to add considerable in this way to the charity fund.

For three whole days the Mayor looked around for the necessary girls, but in all Oakland the requisite number could not be found. At last the Mayor hit upon an idea. He secured the services of Charley Cole, H. K. Snow, William Paterson, R. B. S. York and Major Tompkins, each of whom have agreed to don bloomers and peddle tutti frutti and pink lemonade among the spectators.

Charley Gardner is going to be a bowling success at short stop. He stops hot grounders like a hired man, and gets them over to first in a remarkably clever manner.

Judge Allen is "all right" at second base. He says he could play baseball with both hands tied behind him and not half try.

Billy Hennessey at third is showing up well. He throws "under hand" and kicks to give force to the ball, but he can steal bases with any of them, though he is Clerk of the Police Court.

W. A. Dow holds down first base and is getting along nicely, but occasionally he leaves his post to tell some bystander about the great game between the mutes and the Universitys, in which he took a prominent part.

Harry Thomas has been playng in the field, where he chucks clods at marks and warbles "My mind is by the sea, my thoughts are all of thee," but occasionally he gets under a good high fly.

Percy Jacobus at left is a success, and when a fly comes his way he pulls it down with an alacrity worthy of a messenger boy.

Down at the Court House there is less talk, but there is just as much work. Frank Jordan is the star batter, and he has made some remarkable drives. He and Supervisors Roeth and Mitchell play "one old cat" in the Supervisor chambers every afternoon.

Al Moore, who will be one of the county fielders, practices at home every day. He has bought a lot of "maple syrup in cakes," with which he will practice till his hands become harder. When Al was small, they say, his ambition was to either become a seaman or a professional baseball player. He says both occupations still hold a fascination for him, but since the practice began he thinks he would prefer the seaman.

Steward Tobin at the Receiving Hospital hasn't had much time to practice yet, but he promises to get into condition before Saturday. He has been eating onions for a week.

W. H. Church and J. Oliver are old ball players, and they are giving most of their time to coaching the others.

Cal Ewing is saying nothing and he isn't sawing wood, but there is a rumor to the effect that he will surprise everybody at the game. Cal used to play baseball before they built the Berkeley hills.

Ned Holland, who was booked for a responsible position on the City Hall team, is something of a disappointment. He took a vacation some time ago and went to Santa Cruz. There he met a lot of society belles, who persisted in teaching Ned how to play golf. He resisted at first, but at last succumbed to their advances, and now he does nothing but sit in his office and dream of Bilngum.

The time was when Holland was a rattling good ball player, but now he won't even go into the field without half a dozen sticks and a caddy to carry them, and the other day, when the ball was knocked into his territory and there were three men on bases Ned persisted in knocking the ball back to the home plate with one of his sticks, claiming that he could easily do it in one drive.

Harry Thomas is selling tickets for the great game. Don't forget the date, Saturday, the 14th.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

A Big Field Event Will Be Held on Admission Day.

The athletes of the Young Men's Christian Association are busy getting ready for their field day with the San Francisco association, which is to be held at Berkeley September 9th. There are to be eleven events, the 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 440-yard dash, one-half mile run, mile run, 220-yard hurdle, running high jump, running broad jump, pole vault, shot put and twelve pound hammer throw.

The twelve pound hammer was substituted for the sixteen-pound on account of the former being the weight used in the pentathlon contest, and as this contest will be held in October, it will enable men to train for both events at the same time.

The 120-yard hurdle and mile walk were left out, as were the bicycle races, the track not being suitable for the latter event.

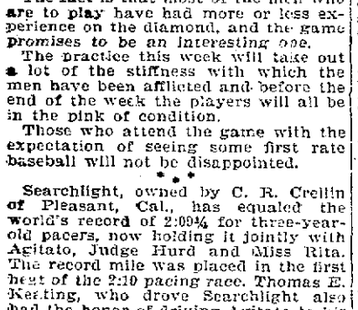
The above details were arranged last Friday afternoon at a meeting of representatives from both associations. Dr. E. L. Dietz and Captain Klarman of the track team from San Francisco, and A. F. Brock and W. B. West from Oakland.

It was further decided to give silver and aluminum medals for first and second places. These will be made immediately and a part placed on exhibition in the rooms of each association.

Sprinters, shot-putters and jumpers are using the association recreation court next to the building for their preliminary work, while the distance men are using the track on Market street.

At a recent meeting of the athletic committee, J. Boast was appointed track captain and W. B. West chairman of a special committee on arrangements.

As the association across the bay has some very strong men on the track and in the field, the local athletes only expect to make a showing against them, as a result of hard and regular training.



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The betting is lively and it is expected that a large crowd of Oaklanders will witness the fights.

A Whist Tournament.

J. D. Eby, Coffin, Holton and Manuel Eyre represented the Oakland Whist Club at the tournament just held in San Francisco. Portland won the tournament, the score being: Portland 5, San Francisco 4½, California 4, Oakland 3½, Trist 3.

The tournament was for the Payot trophy.

A Football Conference.

A conference between J. M. Sweetyer, manager of the Stanford football team, E. J. Brown of the U. C. team and J. C. Ewing of the Reliance team was held in the County Clerk's office yesterday to consider the outlook for arranging a schedule of games to be played between the teams during the coming season.

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